

FDR Wants Nationwide 'Fast' Time All Year

Two States Scoured in Search for Boy, Sought For Murder

His Alleged Victim and Husband Had Planned to Adopt Him

Woodstock, Ill., July 15—(AP)—Peace officers and aroused citizens hunted today in two states for a St. Charles School for Boys parolee, who disappeared from a farm where Mrs. Margaret Jung, 37, was clubbed to death with a heavy wrench.

Until tonight yesterday an airplane from the Woodstock flying school aided deputies in automobiles and farmers on horseback in the search for Richard Wesolice, 16, a Belleville boy who was paroled to the Joseph Jung dairy farm, a mile south of here, four months ago.

Sheriff Lester Edinger's office expressed belief that the fugitive had left the county, perhaps heading southward. A farmer told of taking a "hitchhiker resembling Wesolice toward Huntley, south of here almost at the county line, soon after the slaying was reported.

There were no promising overnight clues.

Sheriff Robert Woodard of Kendall county said Wesolice visited a friend and fellow parolee, Richard Kwalski, on the Kenneth Darfield farm on route 31, two miles north of Oswego, yesterday afternoon. The Darfield family was away. Wesolice talked with Kwalski a few minutes after asking for a drink of water, then asked for and was given directions to Joliet, southeast of Oswego.

Ignorant of Killing
Kwalski, who told the sheriff he did not know about the killing of Mrs. Jung at the time, said Wesolice was walking and wearing a battered straw hat and thick glasses. The sheriff's office theorized that Wesolice had traveled south through Aurora to the Darfield farm, then went through Oswego and to Plainfield and Joliet, if he followed Kwalski's directions. Jung returned from Woodstock yesterday morning to find his wife, mother of five children, dead in the milkshed where she had been washing pails. She had been struck down from behind and a coroner's jury found she had died from a basal skull fracture caused "by a person or persons unknown."

The children, who had been playing in the farmhouse, said Wesolice had come into the house, changed his clothes and left.

An orphan who had been sent to St. Charles because of truancy, Wesolice had made a good record at the school and was paroled to Jung April 21. Jung said the boy had been reprimanded for staying out until 2:30 a. m. yesterday morning.

The search centered about
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Mayor Appeals to Dixon to Complete USO Fund Quota

Mayor William V. Slothower today addressed the following appeal to residents of Dixon:

My fellow citizens:

"The duty of raising a fund of \$1,800 by our city has been placed upon us by the United Service Organization for national defense, of which Thomas E. Dewey of New York is the national chairman.

"We have never been found wanting in the support of any worthy cause which has been presented to us and I know that we will not in this.

"The money so raised will be used to provide religious and recreational facilities and programs of our soldiers when on leave from camp and for civilians engaged in the production of defense items, in or near cities where defense industries are located, under the direction of the U. S. O., comprised of the Salvation Army, Young Men's Christian association, National Catholic Community Service, Young Women's Christian association, Jewish Welfare Board and the National Travelers Aid association.

"The local committee which was appointed to raise the fund deemed it the better to urge voluntary contributions rather than by direct personal solicitation.

"To date but \$378 has been given.

"On behalf of the committee I appeal to you to give your contribution as soon as possible in order that we may make our report and be credited as having done our duty."

William V. Slothower, Mayor.

"Losted"

Chicago, July 15—(AP)—Brookfield Zoo where oddities abound, has one of the strangest charges on record, and he isn't in a cage.

He is Tommy, 3½ years old who was found wandering unaccompanied through the zoo Sunday afternoon, and hasn't been called for yet.

Tommy says he's all right but his father is "losted". He said his mother has "gone bye bye" and that he has two sisters. As Tommy pronounced it, his last name sounds like "McArgo". He said his father brought him to the zoo in a truck.

Edward H. Bean, zoo director, said Tommy would be kept at the Bean home for a few days in hopes that his father would call.

"Zup" Remains for Year; Wilson Out During That Time

Chicago, July 15—(AP)—Robert C. Zupke, head football coach at the University of Illinois, retained his post today and Athletic Director Wendell S. Wilson was removed by the university board of trustees, acting on recommendations of the board of athletic control.

Wilson was given a leave of absence for one year, "subject to recall". Zupke was directed to meet with the board of trustees and the president of the university not later than March 1, 1942, to discuss his status thereafter.

After the meeting Wilson said: "I am as happy as I can be. I still working for the best interests of the university."

Board Resigns
The board of trustees accepted the resignation of the entire membership of the board of athletic control. They are R. Z. Hickman, Evanston, Ill., Milton Olander, Toledo, O., and Harry Hall, Waukegan, Ill., all alumni, and these faculty members: G. W. Goble, W. W. Yapp, Frank Rickart and Wilson.

The chief objectors to the trustees' action were Homer Mat Adams, Springfield, Ill., and Park Livingstone, Chicago, both trustees.

Said Livingstone: "Wilson has been the goat in this situation all the while". Adams declared the action of the trustees "didn't solve anything."

"We attempted to present an attitude of appeasement", Adams said. "The whole situation should be cleaned up."

To Name New Board
Olander member of the retiring athletic board, said the wholesale resignation was presented in the best interests of the university and for harmony in the athletic setup.

Chester Davis, member of the board of trustees, said the new board of athletic control would make his nominations to the trustees, who are empowered to name the members.

The newly-appointed board of athletic control then will appoint an acting athletic director to succeed Wilson.

Validity of Cigaret Tax Attacked in Suit

Chicago, July 15—(AP)—Constitutionality of the state's new cigarette tax was attacked in a circuit court suit filed yesterday by a firm of Chicago tobacco wholesalers.

The action, filed by S. Bloom, Inc., charged that a 5 per cent tax discount allowed distributors under the law was discriminatory, in violation of the state constitution.

Also sought was an injunction to restrain the state finance department from collecting the two cents a package tax, which consumers are paying.

Canada Clamps Strict Regulations on Use of Gasoline for Motor Fuel

Ottawa, Ont., July 15—(AP)—Canada announced today the prohibition of sale, delivery and distribution of gasoline and oil to motorists from 7 p. m. to 7 a. m. week-days and for all of Sundays, effective tomorrow.

The order was announced by Federal Oil Controller G. R. Cottrell. It was coupled with an appeal to citizens to cooperate against the prospect of a serious shortage by cutting the use of their cars 50 per cent.

Authorization for an increase of one cent a gallon for gasoline also was announced.

Use of credit cards is prohibited; gasoline and oil must be sold on a cash-and-carry basis.

Cottrell's statement, issued through C.D. Howe, minister of

Urges Legislation in Letters to Both Branches Congress

Close Fight on Plan to Extend Service Time of Selectees Seen

Washington, July 15—(AP)—President Roosevelt asked congress today for legislation to provide daylight saving time "upon such a regional or national basis, and for such part, or all, of the year, as he might deem necessary in the interest of our national defense."

The chief executive made the recommendation in letters to Speaker Rayburn and Vice President Wallace, supporting it with figures to show that the effects of year-around daylight saving would result in a probable annual reduction of 736,282,000 kilowatt-hours in the use of electricity.

Roosevelt also sent letters to eight southern governors telling of a need for daylight time and declaring that the country "is faced with a serious power shortage that is impeding the national defense program."

The shortage is particularly acute, he said, in the southeastern portion of the country.

Letters to Governors
The letters went to the governors of Alabama, Virginia, Tennessee, North and South Carolina, Georgia, Mississippi and Florida.

Noting in his letters to Rayburn and Wallace that daylight saving already was in effect in the summer in many highly industrialized areas of New England, the middle Atlantic and north central states, Roosevelt said government agencies primarily interested in the fullest utilization of electricity for defense had advised him that "there is immediate need for the extension of this daylight saving time to other parts of the country, including in particular, the southeastern states."

He said the agencies had told him also there was a need for the establishment of a year-around daylight saving time in various parts, or all, of the country.

In his communications to the eight governors, Roosevelt expressed a hope that if it was legally possible, proclamations would be issued to put daylight saving

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"In War Already", Sen. Glass Thinks

Washington, July 15—(AP)—Senator Glass (D-Va.) called today for immediate repeal of the neutrality act to reestablish freedom of the seas for American shipping and show Hitler that "we are not afraid" of him.

The act bars American merchant ships from combat zones fixed by the President and Glass, in his first interview since his recent election as president pro tempore of the Senate, said "we ought to wipe that thing off the statute books and throw it in the rottenest wastebasket in the country."

"It never should have been passed in the first place," Glass asserted. "It gave up the freedom of the seas, for which we had been fighting since the beginning of the nation."

Repeal of the act would clear the way for ships under the American flag to carry goods into British ports, and while he did not couple the two ideas directly the veteran senator declared that the United States "should take any steps necessary to see that our war materials are delivered to Great Britain."

"I think we are in war already," he said. "We have done a lot of things that might give Germany an excuse for declaring war against us."

Locomotive Blows Up; Three Men Meet Death

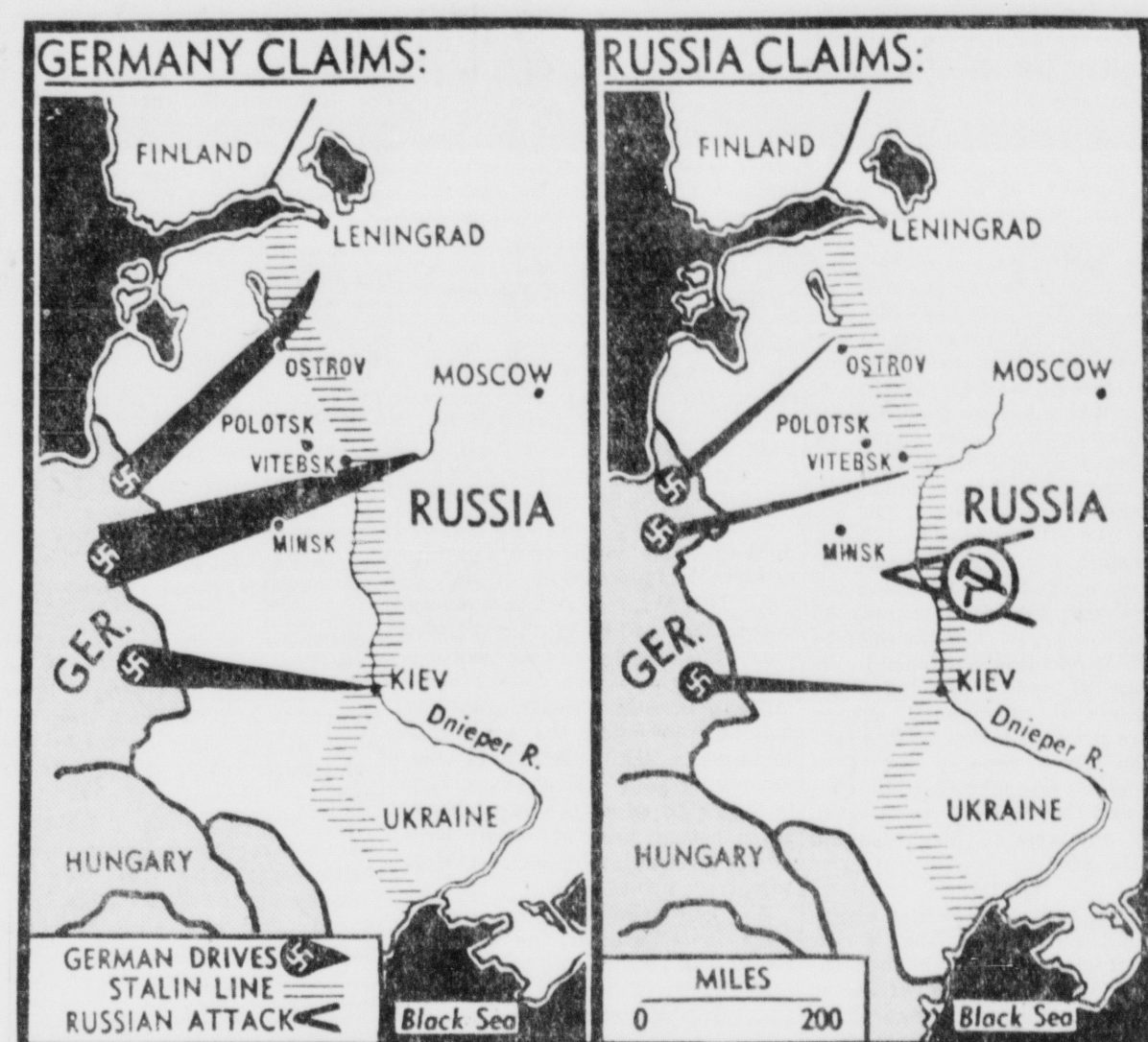
Cobleskill, N. Y., July 15—(AP)—Three members of the crew of a Mechanicsville-Binghamton freight train of the Delaware & Hudson railroad were killed early today when a locomotive boiler exploded, derailling 11 cars and ripping up both main tracks for considerable distance.

The force of the explosion sent the boiler and locomotive cab hurtling several hundred feet through the air.

The locomotive, derailed, remained upright. Some of the derailed cars were ripped open, dumping valuable cargo along the right-of-way.

The explosion occurred between Cobleskill and Richmondville in Schoharie county, where the tracks cut through the hilly countryside.

Russia Derides German Claims of Big Victory



While Germans boast of advances along all lines on eastern front, as indicated in map at left, Russians declared their army was holding all main front line posts and actually belittled the German drive. The situation, as the Red army sees it, is shown in map at right.

(NEA Telephoto.)

Ousted Germans on West Coast Flying East to Leave U. S.

U. S. Government Holds Europe-Bound Naval Transport Today

San Francisco, July 15—(AP)—Captain Fritz Wiedemann and Dr. Hans Borchers, high ranking Nazi consultants, their wives and a woman employe left early today by air plane for New York to board the naval transport West Point for Lisbon.

Two other chartered planes, carrying other members of the consular staff of San Francisco, and their baggage, followed within an hour.

The transcontinental dash to catch the West Point was hastily arranged after an eleven-hour change of plans on order of the German embassy in Washington.

It was understood that United Airlines was charging a cool \$14,484 for the junket.

The state department in Washington has agreed to hold the West Point until Wiedemann, Dr. Borchers and their party reach New York.

Although they had packed all their baggage and consular goods for departure to Japan Sunday on the liner Yawata Maru—a sailing they purposely missed for fear of being seized by the British at sea—there was much last minute scurrying around as the Germans finished arrangements for the air trip east.

Captain Wiedemann's son, Edouard, invited all to have a drink on him at the airport bar. About 125 persons responded.

STRANGE VOYAGE

New York, July 1—(AP)—The pride of the American merchant marine leaves tonight on a maiden trans-Atlantic voyage as strange as any in history.

Farewell parties are banned on the great drag-boat vessel that will sail for Lisbon with nearly 500 passengers straight into war-dangerous waters.

Aboard will be German and Italian.

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The Weather

TUESDAY, JULY 15, 1941
(By The Associated Press)
Chicago and vicinity: Partly cloudy with a shower likely late tonight. Wednesday partly cloudy and slightly cooler, light to moderate southwest winds shifting to northerly late tonight.

Illinois: Partly cloudy, scattered showers tonight and south Wednesday. Cooler near Lake Michigan Wednesday.

Wisconsin: Partly cloudy, scattered light showers south and east cooler tonight; Wednesday partly cloudy, cooler extreme east.

Iowa: Partly cloudy, scattered showers east, slightly cooler tonight; Wednesday partly cloudy.

EXTENDED FORECAST
Chicago, July 15—(AP)—Extended weather forecast for the period from 6:30 p. m., July 15 to 6:30 p. m., (CST) July 19:
Upper Mississippi Valley: Temperature will average near or slightly normal with little trend. Rainfall will average mostly heavy, occurring at beginning over south portions and generally during latter half of period.

LOCAL WEATHER
For the 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. today: maximum temperature 89, minimum 59; clear.

Wednesday: sun rises at 4:41; sets at 7:27.

Inductees

The following registrants from District No. 2 of Lee county have been ordered for induction into the United States Army in Chicago next Tuesday, July 22:

V. 854 Leo Otto Von Holten, Harmon.

V1131 Ralph Willard Collins, Paw Paw.

V1150 Fred George Ehl, Sublette.

343 Roland Elmer Ullrich, Lee Center.

694 Daniel Francis O'Brien, Sublette.

701 Leroy Peter Spitz, West Brooklyn.

711 Harry Freeman Williams, Ashton.

772 Reuben John McBride, Lee Center.

803 Willard George Cardot, West Brooklyn.

813 Carl Frederick Schaefer, Harmon.

836 Leroy Clarence Hanne-man, Lee Center.

Terse News

Dietitian at K. S. B. Hospital—
Announcement was made today of the engagement of Miss Elizabeth Durkes of Franklin Grove as dietitian at the Katherine Shaw Betha hospital here.

Postmasters Named—
Among Illinois postmaster nominations sent to the senate today by President Roosevelt were those of Thomas F. Kirby at Steward and Maurice E. Brand at Milledgeville.

On Statutory Charge—
In a hearing conducted before Judge Grover Gehant in Lee county court today, Fred Benson was found guilty of a statutory offense. The court granted Benson until 10 o'clock Wednesday morning to furnish bond.

To Build In Grand Detour—
The Misses Wolbridge of Evanston have purchased land east of the John Stager property in Grand Detour and will at once

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Marshall Explains Army's Desire to Retain Big Force

Testimony of Chief of Staff to Senators Is Released

Washington, July 15—(AP)—Gen. George C. Marshall, Chief of Staff, was disclosed today to have told Congress that specially trained army units, instead of marines, should have occupied Iceland but were prevented from doing so because of difficulties presented by the one-year draft service rule.

Marshall made this statement in testimony given before the Senate military committee July 9 in support of legislation which would permit the retention in active service of selectees and National Guardsmen for longer than one year. The testimony was made public by the committee today.

If selectees or reservists had been sent to Iceland instead of marines, Marshall said, an "unfortunate situation" might have

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Infantile Paralysis Found Near Tullahoma

Winchester, Tenn., July 15—(AP)—A state health department epidemiologist aided local authorities today in combating an outbreak of infantile paralysis in Franklin county.

Ten cases have been reported to date, two of them in the section of the county bordering Camp Forrest, huge army cantonment near Tullahoma. Authorities said only one of the 10 cases has proved fatal. Condition of others ill was reported not critical.

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To Exchange Prisoners
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Reds' Command Confident Its Army Will Win

The War Today!

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
(Telegraph Special Service)

It's small straws that show the way the wind blows, and there would seem to be a potential development of moment concealed in a little item from London this morning saying informed British political circles expect an important announcement shortly about a maximum war effort by India.

That vast eastern empire already has been turned without any fanfare into one of the world's foremost arsenals. There is therefore added interest in the prediction that India and our own "arsenal of democracy" may exchange representatives, presumably to help coordinate the supreme effort of these two great countries.

Intensification of the Indian efforts fits in perfectly with the present trend of the war, for unless Russia collapses in the immediate future, Hindustan, in my view, is likely to play a vital part in providing military supplies and perhaps even troops for the bolsheviks. This will in part represent self-defense, of course, for if Hitler smashes the Muscovites he will be in position to attack India.

The probability that India will act as a supply base for Russia has been heightened by the allied victory in Syria, which vastly strengthens the British position in the Near and Middle East and removes the grave threat of Nazi occupation of that French-mandated territory. Naturally everything depends on whether the Reds are able to continue their fierce resistance and keep the Germans from overrunning western Russia and securing access to the Caucasus.

As I have indicated before, it strikes me that a logical development of the immediate future may be the establishment of a British military base in Russian Turkistan to further the movement of military supplies to the bolsheviks through this side door. These supplies would be sent from India through the Persian Gulf and thence through Iran (Persia) into Russian territory.

With this comparatively small beginning one can even foresee the opening up of a great new allied front in that region, if the Russo-German war continues. Irrespective of that, the matter of supplies for Russia may become pressing if the conflict develops into one of attrition.

The further this picture unfolds, the more it appears that the recent transfer of General Wavell from his command in Egypt to command of the Indian forces was more for the purpose of preparing for eventualities than because of any possible dissatisfaction with the way things were going in the Near East. Conclusion of the Syrian campaign so soon after Wavell's transfer indicates that it was well in hand before he moved on to his new command.

As already stated, if the British moves in the Middle East must depend largely on how well the Russians hold the German attack. The Nazis today claim continued gains in the northern, central and southern sectors of the battle line. They assert that Kiev is about to fall, thus opening the gateway to the great and rich

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There was no one on board and there were no signs of a fight having taken place. Captain

Claims from Two Headquarters Conflicting

(By The Associated Press)

Adolf Hitler's invasion forces were declared to have been hurled back 19 miles as Russian troops launched a major offensive along the strategic Dnieper river front today, and at the same time the soviet high command spoke confidently of "the bloodthirsty fascist hordes whom we will now smash."

Russian military dispatches said Red troops, striking back on the central front guarding Smolensk and Moscow, had crossed the Dnieper river at several points.

In the south, too, a soviet war bulletin declared Russian troops had won a victory with the annihilation of two German-Rumanian artillery regiments and an infantry regiment driving toward Kiev, capital of the Ukraine.

Berlin reports said a German tank corps was menacing the city of Novgorod, 100 miles south of Leningrad, and that a steel ring was drawing closer around Leningrad itself. Novgorod is 50 miles from the main Leningrad-Moscow rail line.

Coupled with this threat at the line of communications between the old and new capitals of Russia, the German news agency said Nazi troops had penetrated the entire fortified zone of the Stalin line in the Vitebsk area, north of the Minsk-Moscow motor highway.

Two Breaks Indicated
Taken together, these thrusts would indicate two major German breaks through or into the Stalin defense system, some 250 miles apart.

The Germans said Nazi infantrymen battled for 36 hours to cap-

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Terms Ending War in Syria Provide Control Commission

Vichy, Unoccupied France, July 15—All French planes in Syria and Lebanon, all ships in territorial waters of the mandate and certain war materials are yielded to British under terms of the armistice of Acre announced here today.

French soldiers, who fought five weeks in a vain attempt to block the British invasion, and French civilians were given "a free choice as to whether to join the allied cause (whose units include the Free French forces of General Charles De Gaulle) or be repatriated" to France.

The armistice was signed at the Palestine port of Acre Monday by British and French representatives.

While French troops are permitted to return home, some will remain on duty in certain sections, notably the wild Jebel ed Druz to keep order until they are replaced by the British.

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Of Interest to Farmers

FRANK PRIEBE'S WEEKLY LETTER TO POULTRY RAISERS

Sometimes good advice can be carried too far.

I wonder if that isn't what's happening as far as these hens are concerned. You have been urged to keep them for egg production—by everyone from the Secretary of Agriculture down to your local produce man.

The government, by buying enormous quantities of eggs, has maintained such a high market that you couldn't afford to sell a hen. Half a dozen eggs a month paid for her feed and any other that meant money in your pocket. However, we're beginning to run into trouble.

A produce man down in Kansas explained it pretty well in a letter I had from him this week:

"There has been a sharp decrease in egg production in this section. I doubt very much if summer egg production will be increased very much from now on by farmers holding all their hens. Normally, when the weather gets hot, our producers cut out and market those that aren't laying. This gives the balance of the birds more roosting space on warm nights . . . more room at the feeders during the few cool hours . . . and more room at the waterers. Without this thinning out, it is highly possible we will have fewer eggs this summer instead of more."

Continue to Sell Non-Layers . . . In the end, we'll only defeat our own purpose if we try to crowd more hens into a house than it will hold—comfortably.

(Copyright, July 17, 1941, Frank Priebe, 110 North Franklin, Chicago)

In suggesting how to get more eggs, the Iowa State College recognizes that many houses are already crowded and such cases recommends closer culling.

Each hen needs 4 square feet of working space.

Each 100 hens need two 8-foot feeders, partitioned for free-choice feeding and two waterers. And both the feeders and waterers should be kept full.

It's eggs the government is asking for. And you will get more eggs from 175 hens that have plenty of good feed and water than you will from 200 birds that are crowded.

Keep the good hens—as many as you have room for—until you can replace them with pullets, but continue to sell those that aren't laying. Watch the flock closely as soon as birds show signs of loafing on the job, sell them—before they've consumed a lot of feed.

Sincerely yours,

Frank Priebe

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Keigwin Herd Tops Lee - Bureau Dairy Herd Association

The C. B. Keigwin & Son herd of ten PBH led the Lee-Bureau Dairy Herd Improvement Association for June with an average production of 1425 pounds of milk and 49.05 pounds of fat on twice a day milking. None of the ten cows was dry.

Henry Albrecht's herd of nine PBH was second with an average production of 1399 pounds of milk and 46.4 pounds of fat on twice a day milking. None of the nine cows was dry.

The herd of ten PBH owned by Guy Borop & Son was third with an average production of 1387 pounds of milk and 43.99 pounds of fat on twice a day milking. None of the ten cows was dry.

Arthur Booth's herd of seven PBH was fourth with an average production of 1389 pounds of milk and 36.85 pounds of fat on twice a day milking. None of the seven cows was dry.

The herd of twelve PBH & GG owned by F. D. Milliken was fifth with an average production of 802 pounds of milk and 35.14 pounds of fat on twice a day milking. One of the twelve cows was dry.

1. C. B. Keigwin & Son, PBH, 2286 lbs. milk, 86.9 lbs. fat.

2. Henry Albrecht, PBH, 2388 lbs. milk, 76.4 lbs. fat.

3. C. B. Keigwin & Son, PBH, 2094 lbs. milk, 75.4 lbs. fat.

4. Axel Hard, PBH, 1917 lbs. milk, 72.8 lbs. fat.

5. Henry Albrecht, PBH, 2175 lbs. milk, 65.3 lbs. fat.

6. Henry Albrecht, PBH, 2025 lbs. milk, 64.8 lbs. fat.

7. Reinhard Gerdes, PBH, 1785 lbs. milk, 64.3 lbs. fat.

8. William Meyer, PBH, 2159 lbs. milk, 64.2 lbs. fat.

9. Guy Borop & Son, PBH, 1926 lbs. milk, 60.6 lbs. fat.

10. Walter Baumgartner, G, 1284 lbs. milk, 59.1 lbs. fat.

ELVIN NEEREL,
KEVIN RYAN,
Lee-Bureau Testers.

Farmers Urged to Buy Defense Bonds to Curb Inflation

Both as a hedge against the effects of possible inflation and as their contribution towards the nation's defense financing, farmers have been asked to buy defense bonds and savings stamps.

Rosenkrans, chairman of the Lee County AAA committee, said today.

He referred to a recent radio speech by Secretary of Agriculture, Claude R. Wickard in which the secretary declared that much of the nation's industrial capacity is needed for the production of defense goods; therefore, there should not be more than the usual demand for some manufactured goods, else shortages would result with consequent price increases.

The threat of inflation lies in the fact that people have more money to spend, the secretary said. With factory wheels spinning at top speed, there is a great demand for many farm products, and a resultant rise in farm income. "And I know that everyone of these farmers will consider seriously the best way to use these funds both for their own welfare and for the national welfare," Secretary Wickard said.

"Most farmers have a place for almost every dollar but if they can use some of this money to invest in defense securities they will serve the nation and themselves; they will build a backlog of buying power that may help greatly to cushion a possible shock to farm income when defense and war demand for farm products eases off. Furthermore, when farmers buy defense savings bonds they are buying an obligation of the greatest nation in the world from the standpoint not only of wealth and resources, but of human freedom and liberty."

Full details on defense securities may be obtained by farmers at their nearest post office, Mr. Rosenkrans said. "It seems just common sense to me that the farmer, by buying defense bonds and savings stamps, can both help the country and themselves," he added. "We won't always have fair weather. Rainy days may lie ahead. And this gives us the opportunity to lay aside some of our increased income for that time—and at compound interest, too."

Weekly Commodity Review

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CORN

Helped to some extent by the firmness in surrounding markets, but sustained chiefly by the further advance in hog prices, this market has held steady within a comparatively narrow range with trade largely restricted to cash interests and professionals. Switching of hedges has furnished most of the volume and open interest in July contracts is now about 900M bushels, deliveries since the first of the month having totaled 2,134,000 bu. The growing crop has made wonderful progress, being from one to two weeks ahead of normal growth and in tassel over most of the main producing area. The government report shows an indicated yield of 2,549 million bu. as of July 1st, and conditions have been ideal since that date. The excess of 100 million bushels is however offset by smaller reserves, farm stocks being 111 million bu. smaller with the visible supply 28 million bu. larger. The Commodity Credit Corporation continues to offer corn to feeders and industrial consumers at unchanged prices, and are presently moving five million bu. from country points in Iowa to elevator storage in Chicago and Milwaukee, to keep a supply available to meet demand from the East.

OATS

A sharp advance at the beginning of the fortnight, when a new seasonal high was established for the new crop deliveries, attracted substantial hedging pressure reflecting increased country offerings, as well as sufficient realizing sales to bring about a fair reaction, and prices have since held steady just above the 35c level for September. Larger receipts have weakened cash premiums, which in turn have stimulated shipping demand. The government crop estimate was substantially in excess of the private reports and combined with farm reserves shows a total supply of 52 million bu. more than last year.

SOY BEANS

Influenced largely by Cottonseed Oil and Lard, this market has been characterized by a series of wide price swings, covering a range of 13 to 14c during the past two weeks. A rather tight cash situation and some consequent congestion in July contracts has made the market more than usually susceptible to moderate offerings or demand. An outstanding feature has been that regardless of brilliant prospects, the new crop deliveries have moved about evenly with the July. An open interest in the latter of over 3 million bu. on the first of the month has been more than cut in half, largely through deliveries, which have totaled 1,258,000 bu. or approximately the total contract stock at the end of last week. Contrary to general expectations the government reported seeded acreage at about 5 per cent under last year, which was about in line with the spring intentions. However, whereas only about 50 per cent of the total acreage has been harvested as beans in previous years, new regulations of the Department of Agriculture permit the entire crop to be so utilized this year, and private crop reports show conditions to be excellent, in contrast to the very unfavorable situation of a year ago.

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When replacing a battery it is a good plan to notice at the moment whether the ammeter arm shows discharge when the lights are turned on. If it does, the installation is correct.

Court Rules on the Constitutionality of Marketing Quota

The United States Supreme court already has ruled upon the constitutionality of the marketing quota provision of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, Dale D. Rosenkrans, chairman of the Lee County AAA committee, said today.

He recalled that soon after flour-milled tobacco growers approved the quota system for the marketing of their crop, an injunction was obtained to half the collecting of the penalty from growers attempting to market tobacco in excess of quotas. A federal court dismissed the injunction and an appeal was taken to the Supreme court. In affirming the lower court's dismissal of the injunction, the high court held as follows:

1. Marketing quotas control the marketing, not the production of a crop and where interstate commerce is affected the law "is within the competence of congress."

2. The Act does not provide an unconstitutional delegation of powers to the Secretary of Agriculture and through him to county committees because "the congress has indicated in detail the considerations which are to be held in view of making these adjustments, and, in order to protect against arbitrary action, has afforded both administrative and judicial review to correct errors."

3. The argument that quotas were invoked after the crop already was planted and that, therefore, operated retroactively and took property without due process of law, overlooks the circumstance that the statute operates not on farm production but upon marketing in interstate commerce.

New Pact With Quarry Operators Aids Farmers

A new arrangement between the Agricultural Conservation Association and limestone quarry operators is considered to be of considerable advantage to Ogle County farmers over the previous plan, according to information from Forrest Gillespie in charge of the limestone program. Contracts have been made with 12 quarry operators to sell agricultural stone at the quarry. The purchased is to make his own arrangement for hauling and operating. Applications may be made at the AAA office at Oregon. The committee has also obtained a carload of superphosphate which is stored at Oregon and can be obtained by cooperators in the conservation program at the special price which is said to be only about half of the usual retail price. Gillespie states that super-phosphate earns \$6.00 per ton on the soil building payment when applied on non-depleting acreage according to the regulations. Limestone earns \$1.50 per ton he said and can be applied on any acreage on the farm. These special arrangements have been made by the Ogle County committee to assist farmers in making full compliance with the program and earning maximum payments.

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MASTER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

The Butler farms in Viola Township, in Lee County, will be sold at public auction at the buildings on the Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of Section 27, about 2 miles north of Compton, on Thursday, July 24th, commencing at 2:00 o'clock p. m. The farm of 191 1/2 acres is located along the cement highway and the farm of 160 acres where the sale is to be held is located one mile west of the cement highway.

The buildings are in good repair. These are excellent lands, well located and will make desirable farms for investment or for home. Rural electric service is installed adjacent to the farms.

Terms of Sale: 10% of the purchase price in cash on the day of sale. Balance on or before March 1, 1942, when possession is to be given.

For further particulars, inquire of

ELWIN M. BUNNELL,
Master in Chancery.

WARNER & WARNER, Attorneys,
Dixon, Illinois.

Ogle County Farm and Home Bureau Picnic to Be Aug. 13

The Ogle County Farm Bureau and Home Bureau have set the date for their annual joint picnic and sports festival for Wednesday, August 13 at the Ogle county fair grounds at Oregon. The program this year will include many sports events for competition to select the best qualified to enter the state sports festival at Urbana the last week of August. Some of the events are: soft ball, wrestling, tug-of-war, trap shoot, bait casting, horse shoes, bowling, wood chopping, hog calling, folk and square dancing and bicycle racing. For the women there will be events in badminton, darts, shuffle board, chair quito and clock golf. The agricultural 4-H clubs will show their livestock in the forenoon.

Farm Bureau families and friends are invited to bring their picnic lunches and enjoy the day of recreation. The Farm Bureau is furnishing coffee.

Lee County Cattle Are Top Sellers At Chicago Stock Yards

Lee county cattle were top sellers on the Wednesday market at the Chicago Stock Yards last week.

Sherman Correll who farms near Dixon sent in 38 head of Aberdeen-Angus heifers that brought the Wednesday top for cattle of this class at \$11.40 per cwt. They averaged 911 pounds each.

The midweek hog market at the Chicago Stock Yards registered a spectacular rise over the Tuesday grade when top hogs soared to a new 45-month high mark of \$11.25 per cwt. This was a 15 cent gain over the previous day. Prices for the Wednesday session averaged 15 cents high at \$10.75 per cwt.

Oats Demonstration to Be Held Near Mt. Morris

Anyone interested in the comparison of varieties of oats on the Robert Fridley farm near Mt. Morris will be welcome to attend the demonstration meeting to be held on the field on Friday afternoon, July 18 at 1:30 o'clock according to Farm Adviser D. E. Warren who will be in charge of the meeting.

Eight varieties including Burt, Boone, Gopher, Marion, Columbia, Iowa, Vanguard and Legacy will be seen in small plots growing side by side. Characteristics of growth, resistance to rust and apparent comparative yields will be observed.

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Two Billionth P. C. A. Dollar Goes to Iowa

The two billionth dollar to be loaned by production credit associations will be tucked away in the loan to Martin Paulson, of Grinnell, Iowa, approved Thursday July 10th, by the loan committee of the Newton Production Credit Association according to word received today by A. T. Tourtellot, president of the Rock River Production Credit Association.

Since Mr. Paulson doesn't have use for his money until July 23rd and wants to save twelve days interest, he will not receive the actual check until July 23rd. It is understood that the Newton Production Credit Association is planning a special observance of this occasion. E. Bates, Illinois, who eight years ago made the first production credit application in the United States has been invited to participate in the celebration.

Mr. Paulson intends to use part of his loan to purchase three bred sows to help increase pork production in cooperation with the nation's food for defense program which is endeavoring to get farmers to produce more pork, dairy products, eggs and certain vegetables. Mr. Tourtellot stated that the Rock River Production Credit Association, which serves many of his neighbors in Lee County, as well as farmers in Lee County, has made loans amounting to more than \$5,703,567 since its organization in 1933. This is part of the billion dollars loaned by 525 associations in the United States. He explained that all of this money has been loaned on the approval of loan committees composed of farmers, and that repayments have shown the value of the loan committee having such sympathetic understanding of farmers' credit needs.

Lowell Barclay Named Dairy Herd Tester

Lowell Barclay of route No. 4, Bloomington, Ill. has accepted the position as Dairy Herd Improvement Association tester for Lee county. Mr. Barclay is replacing James Colgan who has accepted a position as herdsman for Dr. Gutzmer's Guernsey herd at Byron, Ill.

Mr. Barclay has had one year of agricultural work at the State Normal University and has had three years of agricultural work in high school attaining the degree of State Farmer. He was in 4-H club work for eleven years and has been working his mother's farm until this year. His brother, who is now out of school, has taken over the farm. Mr. Barclay was very well recommended and we feel sure that he is very capable of carrying on the work which Mr. Colgan has done during his four years in this county.

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Birthday Dinner
Mrs. Maude Bell was honored at a dinner in honor of her birthday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Pankhurst on Thursday. Those attending were Mrs. Nina Spangler and sons Gordon and Kenneth Eastman, the honored guest and host and hostess.

Dinner Party
Miss Eileen Cotter entertained the following girls at a 6:00 o'clock dinner at her home on Thursday evening: Maxine Leake, Mary Ruckman, Lena Merlo, Kathleen Dieter and Doris Eckburg. After dinner the entire party enjoyed a theater party in Dixon.

Dinner Guests
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones and Mrs. William E. Cannon and son Eddie of Guymon, Oklahoma, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hajvelk at Rock Falls on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. David Jones and son Eugene of Oregon were also here.

Dinner Guests
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wedlock and daughter Elizabeth and Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Shea of St. Louis, Mo. were dinner guests at the Peter O'Rourke home in Freeport on Sunday.

Sunday Visitors
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Blum of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Blum and Mrs. Nettie Shafer and daughter Betty of Dixon and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Vaupel and daughters of Ashton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Barlow on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Clark and son Ronnie of LaGrange spent several days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Barlow.

Mr. and Mrs. William Welty and Mrs. Herman Bachofen spent Thursday in Waterloo on business. Mrs. Herbert Parker accompanied them to Cedar Rapids to visit her daughter Miss Connie Parker for the day.

Weekend Guests
Mrs. Fred Reinert, niece of J. A. Ditsch spent the weekend visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ditsch and Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Ditsch. She also spent some time visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lee

Potts in Dixon. Her son Freddie who has been visiting at the H. D. Ditsch home, returned home with her Sunday evening.

Steak Fry
Mr. and Mrs. Krager and family of Wyandot and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ankeny enjoyed a steak fry at Lowell park on Sunday.

Sunday Guests
Mr. and Mrs. Emil St. Jules and daughters Patsy and Frances and son Bob and William Buckley of Aurora were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Branigan on Sunday.

Northern Vacation
Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Shea of St. Louis, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wedlock and daughter Elizabeth returned from a few days vacation spent in Minneapolis and Duluth.

Attorney and Mrs. William Keho and daughter Anna and son Phillip were dinner guests of the Misses Keho on Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Miller and daughter Mitzie and Miss Anita Hopkins of Dixon spent Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Herzog. Kathleen and George Schwamberger spent Wednesday evening in Mendota.

Michael Sharkey returned home on Friday evening after a few days visit in Sublette at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Schultz.

Mrs. Millie Berkley was a dinner and supper guest of Mrs. Temperance Tilton on Sunday.

Harold Ankeny is enjoying his vacation from the Amboy Milk factory this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Buechler of Chicago spent the weekend visiting Mrs. Anna Lightner. Their daughter Maxine who has been spending her vacation here, returned home with them.

Thirty-five Amboy Townsendsites and friends enjoyed a picnic dinner at the Pines Sunday, July 13, after which they journeyed to Oregon to a district meeting, there being about 300 at the meeting. Charles Woodcock of Elgin was the speaker of the afternoon. He also gave a report of the convention at Buffalo.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reinboth came from Iowa City on Sunday to spend the day visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bruno F. Reinboth and Mrs. Elsie Jones and son Ronnie.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Karr of Freeport spent Sunday visiting her father, Jacob Bach.

Mrs. A. Klapprodt and daughter Clara entertained the Misses Hazel Cowell, Anna Miller and Ruth Rothman of Joliet at supper on Saturday evening.

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Society News

Polo Couple Wed Fifty-Five Years

(Telegraph Special Service)
Polo, July 15.—Miss Frances Waterbury and Enoch Mount of Polo were married July 14, 1886 in Waterbury, South Dakota. They lived on a homestead for a year then moved into town where Mr. Mount worked at his trade, that of harness maker. After living there four years, Mr. Mount went to Washington and the following year Mrs. Mount went there also, where they lived for a year when they were called to New York by the death of his brother, Oscar Mount. They stayed there nine years caring for his father and mother. While there Mr. Mount worked in a harness shop with his father. Their three children, Oscar and Nathan of Polo and Minnie, now Mrs. Paul Newcomer, were all born in New York.

After the death of his father, Aron Mount, they moved back to Waterbury, S. D. for just a short time when Mr. Mount's health failed and the doctor thought best he go on a farm. So they came to Polo and lived on Mrs. Mount's father's farm for about four years. They then moved to Warsaw, Nebraska for three years then to a farm in Scotland, S. D. until the death of her mother in Polo. Then at the request of her father, that they come to Polo and make a home for him, which they did until he passed away six years later. They then bought the home on South Congress. That was 23 years ago and still live there, where they enjoy having their friends and neighbors come in for a friendly visit.

Because of Mr. Mount's failing health, no celebration of any kind was held. Mrs. Mount is still very active.

CELEBRATE DOUBLE BIRTHDAYS

Mrs. Elvin Eshelman and son Eugene whose birthdays are tomorrow were honored guests at a steak fry at Blackhawk park in Rockford Sunday when they were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Emory Palmer. Mrs. Eshelman and daughter, Harriet, went to Rockford for a week end visit with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Eshelman. Included in the party Sunday were Mrs. Rosie Kinn and daughter Beverly of Dixon and Mrs. James Stanley and son.

SHOWER

Mrs. Elwood Cruse entertained last Friday night at a shower for Mrs. Jordan Spotts, the former Miss Helen Jolly. Bunco was played and prizes awarded to Miss Ida Ware and Mrs. Lee Brink. The honoree received many gifts and refreshments were served by the hostess. The guest list included: Mrs. Dennis Jolly, Mrs. Roy Spotts, Mrs. Thomas Jordan, Mrs. Lee Brink, Mrs. Harvey Baker, Mrs. J. F. McIntyre, Mrs. William Reed, Miss Georgia Lehman, Miss Ida Ware, Mrs. Mike Kreish and Mrs. Roy Flamingam.

LEE COUNTY RURAL YOUTH
Lee county chapter of the Rural Youth will hold its regular monthly meeting Thursday night at 8 o'clock at the home of Harold and Kathryn Sheaffer of Palmyra township, west of Dixon. All Rural Youth members and others who have recently finished high school are urged to attend. A program will be followed by lawn games and a wiener roast.

AFTERNOON UNIT
The Dixon afternoon unit of the Home Bureau will hold its last meeting of the year, with election of officers, at the home of Mrs. Eric Gerdes, 1201 Hemlock avenue, at 1:30 o'clock Friday afternoon. The major lesson will be given by Mrs. Allen Bowman and roll call will be answered with "The Meeting I Liked Best".

SUNSHINE CLUB MEETS
The Sunshine club met with Mrs. Avery Levan as hostess. Five hundred was played, honors being awarded to Mrs. Day Welty, Mrs. Laurent Henry and Mrs. Clarence Seagr. Refreshments were served at the conclusion of play and the next meeting will be with Mrs. Walter Levan on July 24.

RETROTHAL ANNOUNCED
Mr. and Mrs. Ross L. Cooper, 813 Jackson avenue, this city, announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Alice Marie, to Weldon V. White, son of Mrs. J. E. Gebert, 316 East First street. The wedding vows will be exchanged on Saturday, Aug. 2nd.

MARYLAND PICNIC SUNDAY
The annual Maryland picnic will be held in Lowell park Sunday, July 20. A picnic dinner will be served at noon and all former Maryland residents and descendants are invited. Mrs. Murray Boone is president of the organization.

FOR CHADWICK GUESTS
Thursday, Mrs. Alice Beede will entertain Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Schreiner of Chadwick. Mr. Schreiner has been cashier at the Chadwick bank for many years.

BIRTHDAY DINNER
Mrs. W. W. Lehman entertained a few friends in honor of her son's birthday Monday evening.

DIXON HUSTLERS
The City 4-H club met at the home of the leader, Mrs. Charles Swegle, Monday afternoon. The program included a talk on "Exercises" by Francis Drew; talk—"Undergarments" by Mary Louise Slothower; reading—"A Dress All Your Own" by Helen Jean Quaco; talk, "Accessories" by Mary Ellyn Swegle; talk, "Proper Shoes" by Norma Jean Slothower; reading, "Fashion Comes of Age" by Mary Ellyn Swegle; reading, "Glamour" by Norma Jean Slothower and talk, "Care of Teeth" by Mary Elaine Drew. A wiener roast is to be held at the home of Mary Louise and Norma Jean Slothower Thursday evening. All members are invited. Demonstration meeting is to be held next Monday evening at the Loveland Community House. Miss Simpson was present at a special meeting last Wednesday evening.

DINNER GUESTS
Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Pittman entertained at dinner Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dikkers of Windom, Minn., and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Busker, honoring Mr. Dikkers birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dikkers are Mrs. Pittman's aunt and uncle.

PERSONALS

Attorney Gerald Gerard of Oregon transacted business in Dixon Monday morning.

Sergeant Robert Wilhelm of Co. A, 129th infantry stationed at Camp Forrest, Tenn., is spending a furlough visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Wilhelm.

William Powers of Amboy was a Dixon business caller Monday afternoon.

William Burrs, member of Co. A, 129th infantry stationed at Camp Forrest, Tenn., is spending a furlough visiting with Dixon relatives and friends.

Attorney Edward Sullivan of Amboy was a business visitor in Dixon Monday morning.

Elmer Fahney of Chicago is visiting relatives and friends here. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Newcomer of Chicago are enjoying a vacation holiday in Montreal, Canada.

Miss Carol Kersten of Ashton was a Dixon shopper yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Memler and son have returned home from a vacation outing spent near International Falls, Minn.

Henry Hicks of Franklin Grove was a business caller yesterday afternoon.

Russell H. Gentry of Lee Center was a visitor in Dixon yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ballou have returned home from a several days visit in Nebraska and Kansas.

Pfc. William Faley has returned to Camp Forrest, Tullahoma, Tenn. after spending a two-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Faley of Maytown.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dikkers of Windom, Minn., spent last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Busker. Mrs. Dikkers is a sister of Mr. Busker.

Private Louis Wickerts is home on a furlough from Camp Winfield, San Francisco, Calif. for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Barton Lutz, route 1. He will leave for camp Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Burfeindt and family motored to Freeport Sunday and visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Cordes and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Zimmerman and Mrs. Johnson.

Family Reunion Celebrated Birthday of Mrs. John Farley



Twelve children and ten grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. John Farley of Marion township, recently gathered at their home in a family reunion to celebrate Mrs. Farley's birthday. On the happy occasion Joe Lonergan, Dixon, obtained the above picture of the group.

Front row, left to right—Robert Farley, Mrs. Farley, Patrick Farley and John Farley. Standing, left to right—Pfc. James Farley of Scott Field, Ill., Mrs. Frank Stephenitch of Maytown, Joseph Farley of Dixon, Mrs. Wilbur Speaker and Francis of Dixon, Mrs. Harold Fischer of Silvis, Edward and Annabelle at home, Mrs. Carroll McIntire of Dixon and Pfc. George Farley of Fort Bragg, N. C.

Other guests at the reunion included George Farley, Harold Fischer, Frank Stephenitch, Wilbur Speaker, Carroll McIntire, Mrs. Frances Farley, Mrs. Joseph Farley, Miss Frances Gehant, Miss Vera Bentley, Joseph Lonergan and Joseph Breunig.

A chicken dinner followed by an afternoon of conversation and games entertained the group and after the festivities the two soldiers in the family returned to their respective stations.

The latter is the mother of Mrs. Burfeindt, Mrs. Cordes and Mrs. Zimmerman.

John Nolf, mayor of Grand Detour, has returned to Will-o-the-wisp cottage after a visit in Chicago.

Fred Garner of Grand Detour has purchased the three acre island in Rock river opposite the Nolf and Warner summer houses.

Edward Guffin of Paw Paw was a Dixon business visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hubert attended the races at Arlington park Saturday.

W. S. Frost of Lee Center was in Dixon today on business.

Judge Leon A. Zick of Oregon was presiding in the Lee county circuit court today.

Grover C. Lane of route 4 was a Dixon caller yesterday.

E. C. Haag of Mt. Morris was transacting business in Dixon today.

Miss Calla Greig has been the guest of Mrs. Charles Jenkins in Grand Detour.

Attorney and Mrs. John Devine and Harry Lager motored to Grand Detour Monday evening for dinner.

Mrs. Walter Saunders will spend Wednesday in Chicago.

Miss Clara Wells is in Chicago for the day.

Mrs. Alice Beede and Mrs. Walter Saunders will leave Saturday, July 26 for Pelson, Mont., where Mr. and Mrs. James Hobbins have their summer home near Flat Head lake.

Corp. Max Fordham has returned to Camp Forrest, Tullahoma, Tenn. after a few days visit at home here.

Donald Nolan is a surgical patient at the Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Groth were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Polito of Farmington. The Politos are former Dixon residents.

Erwin Sheaffer returned to Camp Forrest, Tenn. yesterday after spending the week end here with his family.

Elvin Austin, farm employee, submitted to an emergency appendectomy last Friday at the Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital.

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Greater Defense Production Seen as Vital Problem

Washington, July 15.—(AP)—Undersecretary of War Robert P. Patterson told a senate committee today that the last year had brought "great progress" in American defense production but "for total warfare of the kind raging in Europe today we can never have enough munitions".

Patterson submitted to the senate defense investigating committee a review of the army's expansion work during the fiscal year which ended June 30.

"I do not claim," he said, "that America as yet is adequately armed or prepared, or that we have become a thoroughly stocked and sufficiently productive arsenal for ourselves and for the other democratic nations as well. But we have gone a good distance."

"Before long the work which we have already done in planning and ordering equipment and in providing manufacturing facilities will produce in ever-increasing measure the results which we all desire."

Patterson forecast increasing dislocation of the nation's normal peacetime economic machinery as more and more of industry is devoted to war.

More Production Needed
"I doubt that more than 15 per cent of America's productive endeavor is devoted to defense

work," he said. "If we expect to equal and surpass other countries, far more of our machines and labor must be placed at the service of the war department and the navy department".

The present army, Patterson said, consists of nearly 1,500,000 soldiers including nine triangular divisions, two cavalry divisions, four armored divisions and various other troops engaged in specialties and the manning of overseas garrisons.

The Air Corps, he said, now had an enlisted strength of 167,600 while its rate of pilot training has been increased to 30,000 a year.

Discussing progress of the air arm, Patterson said that the program had included arrangements for the housing and training of 8,000 British pilots.

FDR SIGNS NAVY BILL

Washington, July 15.—(AP)—President Roosevelt signed today a bill authorizing the navy department to spend approximately \$31,000,000 for development of ten shore stations.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Van Winkle of Lebanon, Penna. are spending two weeks with their daughter, Mrs. Wayne Hartman, of Dixon.



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A Thought For Today

The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand; repent ye, and believe the gospel.—Mark 1:15.

Woman, amends may never come too late.—Lodge and Greene.

Horse of Another Color

No one seems to mind if you take away from him something he doesn't possess, and there usually are no complaints if you make it impossible for a man to get that which he can't get anyhow.

Back in the days when a farmer didn't figure on making much profit from a field of wheat or cotton, he didn't mind if the government imposed allotments that kept him, in effect, from losing more money than he would have lost had the crop been larger. The farmer didn't even mind if the government imposed a penalty of so many cents a bushel of wheat, or pound of cotton, if he already had, agreed not to plant the wheat or cotton on which the penalty would have been imposed. Such objections as might have arisen were prevented by the soil conservation plan, under which arrangement farmers were bribed effectively, by payment of a modicum, not to plant crops of the "surplus" variety.

But when prices for wheat and cotton began to rise, and it becomes possible for the farmer to make more profit by planting these crops and sell-

ing them at quoted market prices than he would earn by "conserving" his soil, the farmer sharpens his pencil, does some figuring, and then writes sharp notes to his representatives in Congress.

We read that the wheat growers of Oklahoma and the cotton planters of the south are up in arms about allotments, penalties, quotas and such.

It seems to be assumed that wheat and cotton prices will remain high through the next year. Maybe they will, and perhaps not. Depends entirely upon conditions over which the farmers have no control. But if they do remain high, and if the farmers curtail planting and submit to continued penalties, they will then figure what they could have earned by full scale operations without government interference. They will charge the government with the difference and if they don't get it out of the treasury they will have something to say at the polls.

A New Deal congressman, doling funds out of an apparently bottomless reservoir of credit, seems like a very fine fellow. When the payoff comes and farmers and labor begin to foot their share of the tax bills, and the losses, then the spenders will not enjoy so much popularity.

Farmers are beginning to note the difference between getting and sacrificing. Labor's turn will come.

The alternative for the New Deal, in the beginning was to promote international amity and world trade. Instead, it began playing world politics and using the treasury to foot the bills.

Russia can't yet estimate the amount of German motorized equipment captured. Perhaps they should just say, "Tanks a million."

Three Grand Rapids, Mich., policemen were bitten while attempting to arrest women. That's putting teeth into the law.

In lots of cases an "old flame" is one who has been told to go to blazes.

Snappy, Courteous State Police Goal of Department Head

New Chief, Leo E. Carr, Begins Duties Training New Officers

Springfield, Ill., July 15—(AP)—A snappy, courteous state police force is the goal of Leo E. Carr, who left his post as a Chicago police captain to become the new superintendent of the khaki-clad highway patrol.

Snappy and courteous himself, Carr looks more like a successful businessman who spends his afternoons playing golf than a policeman—but his 27 years on the Chicago police force won him 11 citations for meritorious work, a reputation as an ace detective and, four months ago, promotion to the rank of captain.

Carr, who regards himself as a strict disciplinarian, will find his first important job in directing the training of the 98 "rookies" who reported for duty today after selection by merit examinations from 1,500 applicants.

"We've never had a bunch of men so well qualified for the state police before and I'm going to see that they become snappy, courteous policemen," Carr said as he explained the training program.

"Discipline is very important in a policeman and military discipline will prevail at the training school," he added. "Courtesy to the public will come first in our training program. Our job is to help the motorist as well as to enforce the law."

Another innovation Chief Carr would like to see is expansion of the state police force's fighting activities.

Detective at Heart

Because most of his service was spent as a detective—for several years he headed the jewel robbery detail—Carr is still a detective at heart and already tentative plans are being made to set up a detective bureau within the state police force by absorbing the present independent bureau of criminal identification and investigation.

The new chief of the state police is a fine figure of a man, either in uniform or in the sports clothes he likes to wear.

Six feet tall and carrying his 210 pounds without a trace of excess weight, he doesn't look 48 years. His wavy hair is graying. He's married and has a son, 9, and a daughter, 7.

Carr first became a Chicago policeman in 1914 and three years later left on a leave of absence to enter the army. He served 13 months overseas as a second lieutenant in the tanks corps, which was then an experimental unit of the A. E. F.

Back in Chicago, he was assigned to the detective bureau and most of his investigations concerned jewel robberies. Three members of the "Million Dollar Jewel Robbery Gang" are now serving life terms in Indiana state prison because Carr found an old pair of pants they left behind after a jewel theft in the Palmer House.

Cross-Country Trail

"The trail of those old pants led us to a Minneapolis laundry, across the country and finally he caught the men in New Jersey," he recalled. "The men tipped us off to most of the receivers of stolen jewels in Chicago and as a result insurance rates were reduced."

If his past performances are any indication, Chief Carr is going to keep his men on the jump. He's not the desk detective type and believes that "the chief ought to beat his men to the spot where anything is happening." A microphone connecting with the statewide police radio network is on a desk at his right hand.

Carry a gun? "Certainly," he answers. "I'm just a policeman and every policeman should carry a gun."

One of the first things on his program is an inspection trip to all of the district posts scattered throughout the state. Meanwhile, the chief is going to have his hands full training the 98 new policemen appointed by Governor Green. The men were sent to quarters at the state fairgrounds where for two weeks they will learn how to be highway policemen.

The training school will provide instruction in pistol shooting, a first aid course, lectures by lawyers on legal rights and duties of policemen, a study of traffic problems under highway engineers, motorcycle practice and military formation drills.

MICHIGAN LASS IS FAVORED IN WOMEN'S GOLF TOURNEY

Detroit, July 15—(AP)—Northern Michigan's bright young golfer, Mary Agnes Wall of Menominee, stood forth today as a favorite in the women's state tournament and chief challenger to defending champion Mrs. Don Weiss of Flint, a star in her own right.

The 22-year-old shotmaker from the upper Peninsula, runnerup in the recent Women's Trans-Mississippi tourney, led a field of 91 in the qualifications by posting a one-under-par 77 yesterday.

Miss Wall met Mrs. M. A. Harris of Detroit, who shot a qualifying 90, in today's first round of match play.

NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

Washington, July 15—The worry of many an officer in our General Staff now is not "when" we will have a superior efficient army, but "if" we will ever have one.

It is generally recognized in the war department that the draftees only receive about ten months good training out of their year, if and when weapons are available. The rest of the time is spent going to and from camps, with inoculations, illnesses, outfitting, etc. Then along comes another batch to acquire another ten months experience. Thus, when we get through (the way we are going) we will have a mass civilian army large in number, but so weak in training it would be a crime to set it up against any well-prepared fighting force.

Hitler has a professional army, soldiers to whom arms is a profession. His warrior class enjoys better food and clothing and a standard of living above that of the ordinary population. The British and French have relied mainly on brief civilian training, as we go. The Russians have mostly a civilian army, but they train their citizens for five years.

This civilian army idea was a wise product of the original inspiration of our Constitution. The founding fathers did not want a professional army. Its maintenance cost would be high, but more important, the man who controlled the army might control the country (as in Latin-America today.) So they put a provision in the Constitution against quartering soldiers in private homes for this very reason. (Today in Europe soldiers are quartered in private for the payment of the equivalent of 1 cent a day per soldier.)

Since then however, war has ceased to be a problem of shooting a flint-lock with superior spirit. It has become a science of mechanics, based on superior experience. Long training is required even to handle the new automatic rifles.

At the beginning of this war, the training situation was something like this:

	Regulars	Reserves
Germany	755,000	2,250,000
France	630,000	1,130,000
Russia	562,000	?
Britain	175,000	215,000
U. S.	165,000	*240,000

You can see the French were not so far away from the nazis in total numbers, but they were miles behind in training. The French conscripts spent a year or a year and a half (the time varied) and got it over quickly. They did not expect a war. The nazis knew there would be a war, because they were after their place in the sun, and their troops were consequently twice as well trained.

Frankly ours had not then been trained at all in the most modern sense largely because of lack of money and equipment.

Obviously something must be done. We are on the wrong track. Everyone can see that. Even so, not more than half our military experts want to break our civilian army tradition. It could be done by boosting the pay, and otherwise recognizing the ancient nobility of the profession of arms. This would cost no more money than raking leaves and unemployment relief have cost the past few years, without general public benefit.

Yet somehow most government authorities cling to the spirit which makes it a sin for anyone to mention to the CCC boys, for instance, the subject of how to defend their country. The needs test was abandoned months ago by CCC, but the government nevertheless shies away from mentioning the primary fact of life, self-preservation, to the boys it is housing. Somehow officialdom has not yet worked itself completely out of the fallacy that the way to keep a nation secure and peaceful is not to have an army, or to have an inefficient one.

Therefore, it seems likely that some halfway measures (politically more desirable) will be taken, such as extension of the time of service of draftees in order to give some of them slightly more training in one form or another. It would be cruel and inhuman (not to say disastrous) to put men with 10 months training up against any army in the world today, except possibly the backward Far Eastern armies. From the standpoint of the two boys themselves, it would be unfair, but from the standpoint of the nation it would be the most colossal folly of all history.

SHOP STILL STANDS
The tailor shop of Andrew Johnson, 17th president of the United States, still stands with its sign, "A. Johnson, Tailor," at Greenville, Tenn.

POPULATION OFF
St. Louis, Mo., eighth largest city in the United States, showed a population decrease from 821,960 in 1880 to 813,748 in 1940.

Reduced Shipping Losses Announced By British Officer

Claims Exaggeration of 165 Per Cent in Axis Nations' Figures

London, July 15—(AP)—Merchant shipping losses of 79 ships totaling 329,296 tons during June were announced today by the admiralty.

The tonnage, which included British, allied and neutral losses, was less than for any month since July, 1940, with the exception of last December and January.

Seventy-four ships aggregating 325,616 tons were admitted lost in December and 59 vessels totaling 309,731 tons in January.

British losses for June were given as 52 ships totaling 228,284 tons—or less than any month in the past 12 with the exception of January, when 41 vessels of 205,473 tons were sent to the bottom.

Hereafter, an authoritative source said, shipping losses will not be published at regular intervals "because by this means valuable information is given to the enemy."

The June losses in addition to the British included 19 allied ships of 82,727 tons and eight neutrals of 18,285 tons, the Admiralty said.

Revised figures for May showed that 104 British, allied and neutral vessels totaling 497,847 tons were sunk during that month. British losses alone for May were listed as 77 vessels of 380,035 tons.

165 Pct. Exaggeration
British sources recalled the Germans claimed to have sunk 778,283 tons of shipping in June and the Italians claimed 98,500 tons sunk, making a total of 876,783.

These claims, an authorized source said, "represent an exaggeration of just 165 per cent." The average British, neutral and allied shipping losses a month for the six months ended July 1 were 430,000 tons, according to British figures.

For the entire war the monthly average is given as 324,000 tons and for the period from July to December, 1940, 390,000 tons.

Since the start of the war the British say they have lost 1,078 merchant vessels totaling 4,605,132 tons. Allied losses for that period were put at 334 ships of 1,498,047 tons, and neutrals at 326 ships of 1,014,913 tons.

The aggregate British, allied and neutral losses since the start of the war therefore were 1,738 vessels of 7,118,092 tons, according to the British.

Clubs

Dixon Lions Club—"Business men must school themselves to be their own art critics," John T. Nolf, Grand Detour artist told the Lions club at the Hotel Dixon this noon. "Critics do not make masterpieces," the speaker continued. "Time alone does that."

Mr. Nolf derided the too strong English German and French pre-war influence on American art and emphasized that American art was finally coming to its own. "A new realization of our own ideals and institutions along with the chaotic conditions on the continent have been contributing factors," he said. "Is not a healthy outdoor boy from Dixon a fit subject for Michael Angelo's David?" the speaker asked.

The Lions were informed that the Rock River Valley was just as good a place as any in the world for painting, and that Chicago was the equal of Paris for study. "Art must be a product of its environment and the life that springs from it" and as such the speaker predicted "great things can be expected from our own Rock River Valley in the future."

The speaker was introduced by D. D. McMahon in the absence of program chairman, John Vandenberg. Harry Bates, club president discussed briefly the program for the coming fiscal year and the meeting was adjourned.

Townsend Club No. 1 will meet in Woodman hall at 8:00 o'clock Wednesday evening.

SPRING VALLEY WINS FIRST GAME IN SEMI-PRO TOURNEY

Kewanee, Ill., July 15—(AP)—The battle for the State Semi-Pro Baseball championship will continue tonight with two games, first appearance in the meet for all four teams.

Gips' Brewers of Peoria will play the Moline Merchants and Benda Coals of Chicago the Tri-Country All-Stars of Cooksville.

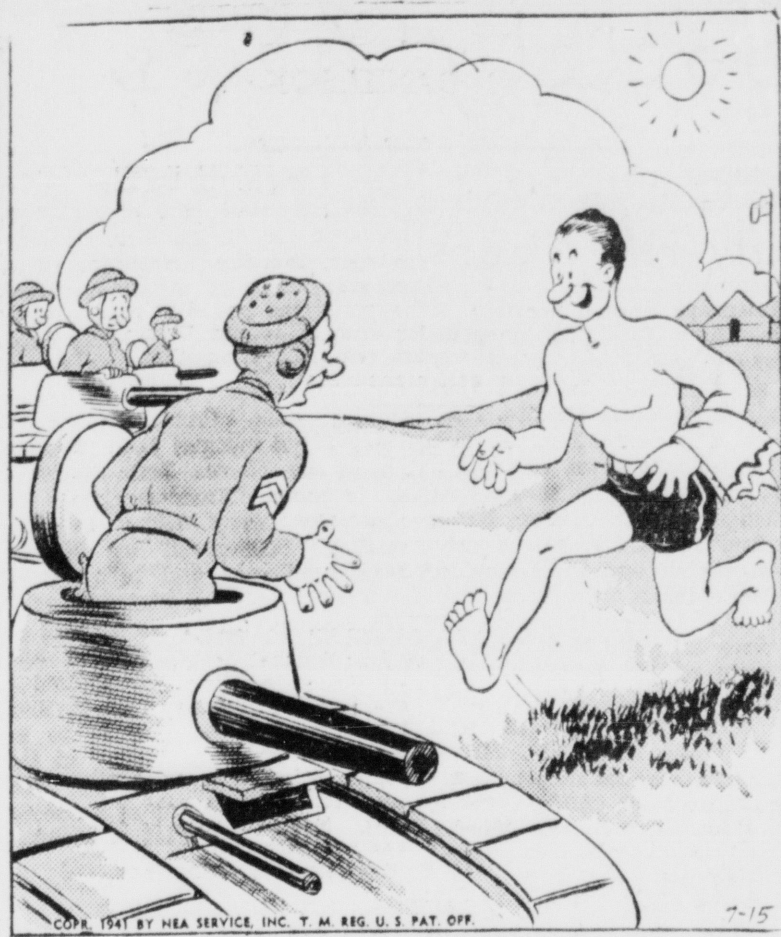
The tourney started last night with Spring Valley and Joliet Schlitz victorious in impressive fashion.

Spring Valley spotted Port Byron two runs in the first three innings and then bounced back to win easily, 7 to 2. The victors were aided by six Port Byron errors.

Gordon Shaughnessy hurled a fine four-hitter to give Joliet an easy 9 to 3 decision over Andover Swedes. Joliet collected 14 hits, sewing up the game with five runs in the first two frames.

Ireland is planning a gigantic harvest of peat to forestall possible fuel famine in 1941.

HOLD EVERYTHING



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Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Tracy spent Sunday with their son, Clarence, at Hanover where he is employed. Merrill Meeker left Saturday for Fairmount, N. Dak. where he will visit his grandfather, E. W. Wetherbee, who will celebrate his 80th birthday the 23rd of this month.

The high school M club of the past year, remembered Coach Wendell Schrader with a gift and card shower this week. Mr. Schrader is convalescing from an emergency appendectomy.

Mary Libby Allen returned home this week from Pittsburgh, Pa. where she has been visiting relatives.

H. A. Hoff is attending the summer sessions at the Northwestern university.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Meeker and daughter, Judith are guests this week in the honor of the former's mother, Mrs. Luce Meeker. The Lyle Meekers are moving from Bayonne, New Jersey to Sandusky, Ohio, where Lyle is employed in the tool room of the Badger Construction company for the fourth year. At Sandusky the Badger company are engaged in building a munition plant for the Dupont company.

Lee Douglas, Richard Parks, Gilbert Silvius and Donald Marsh of the 129th Infantry Band came home on furlough Sunday from Camp Forrest, Tenn., and spent the week end in their respective homes.

Mrs. Gladys Jones came out from Oak Park Sunday and spent the day with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Nelson.

The American Legion met last week and elected the following officers: Frank Nachtmann, commander; Lloyd Diehl, vice commander; Hubert Knodle, finance officer; Rev. William Manny, chaplain; A. C. Jindra, sergeant-at-arms, and Ralph Mahoy and Lynn Elliott, members of executive committee. Mr. Nachtmann has announced the following appointments, Frank Hilger, adjutant and service officer, and chairman of the disaster relief committee; Ross Silvius, graves registrar; Harold Palmer, club welfare; Charles Edson, chairman Americanism committee; Harold Knodle, historian and Sybil Avey, athletic officer.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Kelley, Chicago, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Stimax.

Mrs. Charles Webster spent several days last week with her son and wife. Mr. and Mrs. William Webster, at Milwaukee and on Sunday was accompanied home by her daughter-in-law who will spend the week in Mount Morris with her mother, Mrs. George Priller and the Charles Websters.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Frieburg and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Frieburg spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Ungers.

Happy Birthday

JULY 15
Mrs. Babe Johnson, Pines road, Polo; Kathleen McKenney, 12.

JULY 16
Mrs. A. J. Bohlen; Jay W. Atkins; Laveta May Swope, Compton; Margaret Walker, Steward; Robert Garland, Harmon.

Births

EICHLER—To Mr. and Mrs. Victor Eichler July 13, at the Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital, a son, Victor, Jr., their second child.

In Brazil, government-sponsored aviation clubs have been set up in every state to stimulate air-mindedness.

Years Ago

(From Dixon Telegraph)

39 YEARS AGO

The Frank Billmyer farm home four miles northeast of Harmon was totally destroyed by fire Sunday afternoon.

The launch "Summer Girl" came up today from Sterling with a party of visitors.

William H. Woodruff, Jr., and Mrs. Missouri Hanna were united in marriage by the Rev. J. G. Brooks of the Congregational church yesterday.

25 YEARS AGO

Samuel F. Mills of Ashton, passed away at his eastern home at Fairport, N. Y., this morning.

J. B. Countryman is circulating a petition among farmers urging that Dixon merchants keep their stores open every evening of the week.

It has been rumored that Col. W. B. Brinton may be asked to oppose Gov. Dunne for nomination on the Democratic ticket as candidate for governor.

10 YEARS AGO

Herbert S. Nichols of this city has been elected president of the Lee County Farmers Three Per Cent league.

An alleged arson plot carried out ten years ago when the Sam Watson ice houses were destroyed by fire was under investigation by city, county and state officials today.

A large barn on the R. W. Smith farm near Franklin Grove was destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon.

Obituaries

Local—

WILLARD M. JONES

Willard Martin Jones was born in Dixon, Ill., Dec. 10, 1893 and passed away suddenly in his store at Britt, Ia., at 8:30 o'clock Monday morning July 7, 1941. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elias Jones, both of whom preceded him in death, his mother on May 3, 1925 and his father May 22, 1938.

At Rock Island on May 31, 1917, just before he went overseas as a soldier of the United States army, he was married to Miss Ruth Frank of Dixon, who died in Toledo, O. in July, 1938. He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. C. J. (Ida) Noble of Astoria, Oregon and Mrs. Harry (Emma) Emmert of Dixon; and two brothers, Louis of Martinez, Calif. and Robert of Marengo, Ill.

Mr. Jones enlisted in the United States army June 16, 1916, at Dixon and was commissioned a sergeant in Battery C, 123rd field artillery June 2, 1917. He went to France with his division and gave valiant service in the St. Mihiel offensive Sept. 12 to 15, 1918, and in the Meuse-Argonne campaign Sept. 26 to Oct. 11 of the same year. Following the armistice he was a member of the American army of occupation in Luxembourg, serving until April 12, 1919.

He was cited for bravery and decorated by the French government for the part in the St. Mihiel sector where the American forces started the drive which routed the German forces and started their retreat. He was gassed while overseas and after that had considerable trouble with his lungs.

In Britt he was proprietor of the Maytag-Specialty store and had a prominent part in the civic affairs of the community. A military funeral was held in Britt Wednesday afternoon, July 9, and the body was brought to Dixon for burial in Oakwood cemetery.

By July, the major manufacturers of airplane engines will be producing between 3500 and 2750 engines a month.

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MURDER IN CONVOY

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YESTERDAY: The day before 20,000 soldiers are to leave Canada for England in convoy, naval commanders are called for a conference and told that there will be a Nazi spy among the troops and that utmost caution must be observed. Captains of the freighters that will be among the convoy are then called in and orders are issued for the sailing. The ministers are offered the opportunity to withdraw from the dangerous mission, but no one speaks up.

CHAPTER II

A BULL-VOICED foghorn blared through the waterfront haze. From a distance two bells clanged monotonously. With khaki coat collar turned up against the knife-edged wind, an Army lieutenant stood leaning on the deck rail as the blacked-out liner gently rose and fell at the dockside.

The giant troopship had gone to sleep. The only sounds that came to his ears other than the bleak fog signals were the occasional sound of a sentry's boot on the deck or a muffled command from the general direction of the bridge.

He couldn't see more than a baseball throw in any direction, but the lieutenant knew a number of camouflaged ocean greyhounds were hugging other piers. The last trainload of troops had pulled in 24 hours ago and all men were now aboard. Endless thousands of small arm ammunition boxes had been stored in the holds. Shore leave passes had been refused. All was in readiness to sail.

Strange, thought Lieutenant Rollins, he had been terribly impatient about sailing until a few hours previously. The long months of rigorous camp training followed by a hectic embarkation leave in Montreal had climaxed in his unit's allocation to this former Polish luxury liner, now known simply as "T 9." That was three days ago and the letdown after all the activity and excitement had been terrific. But things were definitely picking up. The reason was a blond, certainly not more than 24, slightly taller than average, but eminently suitable for a six-foot officer.

Lieutenant Rollins found himself grinning in the darkness. The girl was evidently of the serious-minded type, but that dimple in her left cheek held interesting possibilities. He had noticed it when she was only half-way up the gangplank, and he was trying to make out the color of her eyes when she had looked at him squarely.

He had promptly raised a gloved hand to his service cap in an informal salute and added a wide smile for good measure. She gave him a short fleeting smile in return but it was a somewhat disinterested one.

She stepped briskly from the gangplank and onto "B" deck then marched along with the others to the stairway leading up to "A" deck. Lieutenant Rollins' eyes followed her. She was undoubtedly the prettiest of the 47 running sisters bound for a Canadian hospital in England. The amazing thing about it all was he knew he had met that girl somewhere before. It was quite unthinkable, though, that he approach her, bow deeply, and say: "Pardon me, Sister, but haven't we met somewhere?"

She would speak to him, of course. Would tell him a few casual facts about herself. He would name a few places he had been. She might suggest a few ways, he'd be forced to shrug, laugh lightly and give up. That would never do. He would bring up the previous meeting only after they were on cozy terms.

"Lieutenant Rollins, sir?" The young officer came out of his reverie with a start. He turned to find a sentry at salute.

"Yes, Mr. Rollins."

"The O. C. Troops would like you to come to his quarters immediately, sir."



Here Is the First of 11 Photographs Taken by Author En Route to England

LIEUTENANT ROLLINS felt his way through the darkness to the nearest entrance. He found the door handle and tugged it open to meet even inkier darkness. He reached forward and pushed aside the heavy curtain so placed to prevent light from showing when the door was opened. For a moment he blinked into the corridor lights, then quickly strode down to the suite at the far end. Over it hung a sign, "O. C. Troops."

He knocked twice. "Come in!" Colonel L. S. Stephenson, M. C., was seated before a desk. He looked absently at the young officer for a moment.

"Oh, yes, Lieutenant, I merely wanted to point out that it is after midnight and unless I am mistaken there are sounds generally associated with singing coming from the direction of the war. As orderly officer," he paused suggestively, "I must ask you to attend to the matter immediately."

"You will be held accountable for an infraction of lights-out regulations during your period on duty tonight and, by the way, I also have an underlined order to the effect that orderly officers are to report any unusual incident, no matter how slight, that comes within their notice or the notice of the sentries."

The colonel turned to his paper. Rollins saluted, wheeled smartly and stepped out into the corridor. The officers' bar was having difficulty getting closed when Rollins pushed open the glass doors. "Break it up, boys," Rollins interrupted, "the O. C.'s orders."

A captain grinned from

Fanfare

By DON DANIELSON

SELECTIVE GOLF SERVICE

Golfers of the Dixon Country club and their invited guests will be "caught in the draft" Thursday afternoon. Already the members have received their draft questionnaires from "Draft Board Official" George Beier and have been told they must report Thursday afternoon at Camp Dixon Country club for their "induction" and examinations in the fine art of golf. Promotions will go to the most able-bodied soldier of the fairways. The program for 18-holes of golf examination includes regular golf for nine holes and "obstacle golf" for the remaining nine. Members are reminded again that they may "rope in" a friend for the big golf maneuvers.

KNACKS' GAME IS CANCELLED

Manager Hi Emmert of the Dixon Knacks has received word from Freeport that the scheduled game with the Stovers there on Sunday has been called off because the team has been disbanded. James Krueger explained that the Freeport plant has just about shut down and many ball players have left town looking for work. As yet the Knacks have no plans for Sunday.

SOFTBALL GAMES TONIGHT AT POLO

Starting the second round of the Polo Softball league, two games are scheduled for tonight with Tony's Ranch meeting Brookville in the opener and Farm Bureau vs. Coopers in the nightcap.

STAG PARTY MONDAY NIGHT

John Mitchell and Don Phillips, lieutenants at Lowell park beach, will be honored by their friends at a stag party at Peter Piper's next Monday night. Mitchell, former coach at Franklin Grove high school, was recently married to Miss Georgia Lee Davidson. Don Phillips expects to be inducted into the army in the near future.

ROCHELLE TENNIS ENTRIES

George Covert, secretary of the southern division of the Rock River Valley Tennis league, has received the Rochelle list of entries for the singles championships to be played at Sterling on July 20 and 21. The Hub city will send Robert Flaminio, Robert Lazier, Glen Olson, Vincent Carney, Stan Larson and Lyle Kunde. Valuable figure trophies in gold and bronze are to be awarded to the winner and runner-up.

WORKING UP AN APPETITE

The giddy-ap gang held another breakfast trail ride through Lowell park Sunday morning with a bacon-and-eggs bill of fare at the end of the trail (a park shelter). Twenty equestrian breakfasters enjoyed the event. They included: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Keithman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Finley, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burke, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pine, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickey, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Moore, Mrs. Eunice Beatty and Miss Annetta Capp of Sterling, Michael Coffey, J. L. Glassburn, Quincy Adams, Miss Bonnie Hoon, Miss Beverly Edgus and Miss Maxine McGinnis. Another nocturnal ride is planned for Thursday of this week and the riders will leave the Dickey Academy at 6:30 and return two hours later for a steak fry.

MAYTOWN DEFEATS STERLING

The boys of the Maytown baseball club who defeated Dixon, 3 to 1, earlier in the season, won a hard-fought tilt with the Sterling Rockets Sunday, 8 to 6. Horzen did the pitching for Maytown and allowed four hits, struck out 11 and walked five. The winners built up an 8 to 0 lead by the end of the sixth inning before the Rockets scored all six of their runs in a big seventh inning.

SOFTBALL GAMES HERE TONIGHT

Dixon's Softball league will be running full blast tonight on a home defense project which finds the Reynolds Wire (won 5, lost 1) trying to protect second place in the standings against the Nachusa boys (won 1, lost 4). In their previous meeting Reynolds won 13 to 4. In the nightcap game to-night the Borden (won 2, lost 4) will meet the undefeated United Cigars (won 6).

MOUNDERS LOSE TO ROCKFORD

Jack Harvath's Mt. Morris Cardinals dropped a 14 to 10 decision to the Fat's Athletic club of Rockford Sunday. Dixon nosed out the Mt. Morris club here June 3, 1 to 0. In the Sunday fray Vic Amuassas of Rockford was credited with two triples and a single and Bill Wolfe of the same team got a single, double and triple.

PLAN UNIQUE GOLF TOURNAMENT

Em Rorer, sports chairman of the Plum Hollow Golf and Country club, is planning a unique tournament for the boys at the club Sunday morning. Figuring handicaps on the "banker's plan", each golfer will start out with a limited number of strokes and the object will be to get as far as you can on your quota. Each player will be given a stake with his name on it and the number of strokes he is allowed and he will drive it in the ground wherever he ends.

KEEPING TAB

Milo Oakland of DeKalb who won last week's Lincoln Highway Golf tournament was one of the low gross scorers of the Kishwaukee event Sunday when he carded a 76—just in case you want to know how he's progressing. Dee Hunt of the same club and a member of the DeKalb championship team scored a 75.

DRAW BYE IN TOURNAMENT

Dixon's United Cigar softball team has drawn a bye in the first round of the DeKalb invitational tournament which opens tonight. The locals will meet the winner of the Phoenix club (Aurora)—McGraw (Elgin) game which is being played tonight at 9 o'clock.

COUNTRY CLUB TOURNAMENT PLAY

In the week end progress of the two-ball handicap match play at the Dixon Country club several matches were written in the books. Dale Senneff and Lee Shoaf defeated Eldon Myers and Joe Miller, 2 and 1. Cal Tyler and John Torrens defeated Ralph Coffey and Floyd Smith, 3 and 2. Ray Wilbur and Gene Barrowman defeated Carl Plowman and John Mills, 6 and 5. Senneff and Shoaf will now meet Tyler and Torrens in the semi-finals.

DIXON TENNIS TOURNAMENT ENTRIES

Dixon will probably be represented by 10 netmen in the singles tournament of the Rock River Valley league over at Sterling Sunday. Those from this city who are expected to play are: Alan Wienman, Ward Smith, Howard Quick, Ted Mason, M. M. Rosenberg, Charles Kearney, Harold Peterson, George Covert, Bill Moser and Red McNamera.

POSTPONE GOLF TOURNAMENT

Ken Detweiler, sports chairman of the local Country club, has been informed that the Oregon Invitational tournament scheduled for this Thursday afternoon has been postponed one week and will be held on July 24.

FRIDAY'S SOFTBALL MENU

Harry Quinn, manager of the Borden team of the local softball league says that the Plymouth, Wis., team which plays the milkmen here Friday night in the feature game of the twin bill at the Airport, is a doggone fine outfit and "they beat the tar out of us last year." Jensen will pitch for the locals. The Plymouth gang is made up of players employed at that city's branch of the Borden company. In the opening game the Dixon girls will make their debut against the Ohio lassies.

PLAY THEN EAT

The weekly supper match will be held tonight at the Dixon Country club.

CEDAR RAPIDS TRIMS LEAGUE ALL STARS, 4 TO 2, LAST EVE

(By The Associated Press) Cedar Rapids, fresh from a 4 to 2 victory in the Three Eye League's annual All-Star game, will return tonight to the pennant race in a series opener with Moline.

The Raiders seeking their second straight flag, conquered the All-Stars, consisting of players from the other seven clubs, last night with Naymick and Sproul yielding only six hits. The champions, who now are in second place behind Evansville, rushed across three runs off Homer Gibson of Springfield in the first inning and added another in the eighth.

In addition to the Moline-Cedar Rapids game tonight, the schedule calls for Springfield at Clinton, Decatur at Madison and Evansville at Waterloo.

Milk bottles were invented by Dr. H. D. Thatcher in 1884.

TECHNICAL K. O.

Madison, Wis., July 15—Savior Canadeo, Chicago, scored a technical knockout over Johnny Williams, Danville, Ill., in the third round of their scheduled eight-round welterweight bout last night.

FORMER MAJOR LEAGUER HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Philadelphia, July 15—(AP)—Golf Pro Sam Byrd, former major league baseball player, was reported in good condition today at Hahnemann hospital where he was taken late last night following a collision between his automobile and a trolley.

The former member of the New York Yankees and Cincinnati Reds was bruised and cut about the head. Mrs. Byrd also was bruised in the mishap but did not require hospitalization.

Dixon and Sluggers Tied for Lead in Ashton Circuit

CO-LEADERS TO CLASH IN GAME NEXT MONDAY EVE

Daysville Loses to United Cigars In Spite of Errorless Ball

LEAGUE STANDINGS			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Ashton Sluggers	2	0	1.000
Dixon United Cigars	2	0	1.000
Country	2	1	.667
F. F. A.	1	2	.333
Daysville	1	2	.333
Lee Center	0	3	.000

GAMES LAST NIGHT
Country 19; Lee Center 4.
United Cigars 6; Daysville 3.

GAMES NEXT MONDAY
F. F. A. vs. Daysville.
United Cigars vs. Sluggers.

Right now they are tied for the top spot in the Ashton softball league but after next Monday night's game one of the two teams—either the Sluggers or the United Cigars of Dixon—will be on the peak.

Last night in a twin bill at Kersten field the Country defeated Lee Center 19 to 4 in a slap-happy event. The winners collected 17 hits. E. Williams, Ollman and R. Williams each got two doubles and Voss and L. Nelson each got one two-bagger.

R. Greenfield slapped out a home run in the sixth with one aboard and H. Williams got one in the fourth with one man on base.

Winning pitcher was H. Williams with seven strikeouts as he allowed seven hits and walked four.

In four and two thirds innings for Lee Center Riley allowed 16 hits, walked none and fanned one. Bud Calhoun finished the game with one walk, one strike out and he allowed one hit.

Extra base hits for the Lee Center boys included a double each by Riley and Gehant, the team's battery.

Nightcap Game
In the nightcap game the Dixon United Cigars got by with a close shave as they won 6 to 3 but were outlived, 10 to 2.

Daysville, the losing team, played errorless ball but couldn't collect in the pinches. Gatz and Fritz each got a double for the Daysville squad and the rest of the seven hits were all singles.

Whitney, the losing pitcher, allowed only two hits in the five-inning game, but he walked seven and struck three.

Curlee started the game for the United Cigars and in four innings he allowed seven hits, walked none and fanned one. Carlson finished the fray and he allowed, three clouts at the apple.

Country (19)			
	ab	r	e
Voss, ss	4	2	4
Semmler, 1b	4	1	1
E. Williams, 2b	4	1	1
Ollman, c	4	2	3
R. Williams, ss	4	2	1
P. Greenfield, p	3	2	1
H. Williams, p	4	3	1
A. Kersten, cf	3	3	4
H. Greenfield, lf	3	1	0
L. Nelson, rf	2	2	1
Total	35	19	17

Lee Center (4)			
	ab	r	e
Shaw, ss	2	2	1
Reid, 2b	3	0	1
G. Snyder, 1b	2	0	1
Phillips, cf	2	1	0
Riley, p	3	0	1
Carney, 2b	3	0	0
Gehant, c	3	1	2
Carlson, rf	3	0	1
W. Snyder, cf	2	0	0
B. Calhoun, lf	3	0	1
Total	25	4	7

Score by Innings			
Country	200	011	x—4
Country	120	42-10-19	

Daysville (3)			
	ab	r	e
Gatz, rf	3	1	0
J. Lee, 3b	3	2	0
Maxwell, cf	3	0	3
J. Leary, ss	3	0	1
Saunders, 2b	3	0	0
Dunham, c	2	0	0
Fritz, lf	2	2	0
A. Lee, cf	2	0	0
D. Leary, 1b	2	0	0
Whitney, p	2	0	1
Total	25	3	10

United Cigars (6)			
	ab	r	e
Spinden, 3b	1	0	1
Coakley, cf	2	1	0
Carlson, ss	2	0	1
Holland, 2b	2	0	0
Davis, c	1	0	0
Bigg, 1b	2	0	0
Dingman, rf	0	1	0
Loftus, ss	1	1	0
Hepler, lf	1	1	0
Curlee, p	1	0	0
Total	13	6	2

Score by Innings			
United Cigars	104	10-6	
Daysville	002	01-3	

SISLER REVISES ZONING OF SEMI-PRO BASEBALL

St. Louis, July 15—(AP)—George H. Sisler, high commissioner of the National Semi-Pro Baseball congress, today revised the national zoning to determine the regional and state champions which will compete in the 32-team bracket National Semi-Pro tournament at Wichita, Kas., Aug. 15 to 27.

Sisler said teams qualifying directly into the national tourney will be winners of the following sanctioned state tournaments: Ra-

BOB ZUPPKE'S FUTURE HANGS IN BALANCE

Chicago, July 15—(AP)—Bob Zuppke's future as a big-time football coach hung in the balance today.

The University of Illinois trustees met in Chicago to study and possibly clear up the school's muddled athletic affairs. There may be other solutions but the trustees have four apparent avenues to possible action: (1) dismiss Zuppke; (2) dismiss Zuppke's arch enemy, Athletic Director Wendell S. Wilson; (3) retain both; (4) dismiss both and completely reorganize the athletic department.

The seven-man board of athletic control, including three alumni members, also was scheduled to meet two hours prior to the trustees' meeting.

The school's athletic department has been in a state of unrest ever since the Wilson-Zuppke feud came to light in 1938. Wilson obtained Zuppke's resignation three years ago, but the trustees refused to accept it.

Grange Raps Wilson
Harold (Red) Grange, most famous pupil during Zuppke's 28-year regime at Illinois, charged last week that Wilson had intended to become head coach himself in 1938 if Zuppke was let out. Grange also stated Wilson offered him a job as an assistant coach at his old school. Grange strongly advocated the retention of Zuppke.

Wilson denied Grange's charge Sunday and counter-charged that the former grid star was one of a group trying to oust him as athletic director. He blamed this group with leading Zuppke to "believe that he has been stabbed in the back."

Grange tossed more fuel on the fire yesterday by suing Wilson for \$50,000, charging the athletic director with using a "malicious, false, slanderous and defamatory" statement which "greatly injured" Grange's reputation.

HOW THEY STAND

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Results Yesterday
Brooklyn 1; Chicago 0.
New York 3; Pittsburgh 2.
Philadelphia 5; St. Louis 4.
Cincinnati 7; Boston 4 (13 innings).

Standings			
	W	L	Pct
Brooklyn	54	26	.675
St. Louis	51	30	.630
New York	42	34	.553
Cincinnati	42	38	.525
Pittsburgh	36	37	.493
Chicago	36	45	.444
Boston	31	45	.408
Philadelphia	21	58	.266

Games Today
Chicago at Brooklyn (2)
Cincinnati at Boston
Pittsburgh at New York
St. Louis at Philadelphia

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Results Yesterday
Chicago 7; New York 1.
Detroit 4; Philadelphia 2.
Cleveland 4; Boston 1.
St. Louis 6; Washington 4.

Standings			
	W	L	Pct
New York	53	27	.663
Cleveland	50	32	.610
Boston	42	37	.532
Chicago	41	39	.513
Detroit	41	39	.513
Philadelphia	41	33	.558
Washington	29	50	.367
St. Louis	28	50	.359

Games Today
New York at Chicago
Philadelphia at Detroit
Boston at Cleveland
Only games scheduled.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Results Yesterday
Columbus 3; Milwaukee 0-2.
Louisville 1-11; Minneapolis 0-3.
Toledo 2; Kansas City 1.
St. Paul 2-2; Indianapolis 0-3.

Standings			
	W	L	Pct
Louisville	53	36	.596
Columbus	50	35	.588
Minneapolis	51	36	.586
Kansas City	46	37	.554
Toledo	45	44	.506
Indianapolis	41	48	.461
St. Paul	37	50	.425
Milwaukee	25	62	.287

Games Today
No games scheduled.

YESTERDAY'S STARS

(By The Associated Press)
Kirby Higbe and Leo Durocher, Dodgers—Higbe pitched two-hit ball and Durocher bunted safely with bases loaded in ninth to beat Cubs.
Joe Moore, Giants—Tripled with two on in ninth to tie score against Pirates.
Bob Feller, Indians—Stopped Red Sox with five hits.
Tom Bridges, Tigers—Held the Athletics to five hits.
George McQuinn, Browns—Homered for one of four hits with which St. Louis beat Senators.
Bobby Bragan, Phillies—Singled with bases loaded in eighth to beat Cardinals.
Frank McCormick and Harry Craft, Reds—Their singles in 13th inning exploded winning rally against Braves.
John Rigney, White Sox—Stopped Yankees' victory march by keeping eight hits scattered.

NAME RACE STEWARDS
New York—Howard W. Maxwell has been named Jockey Club steward for the fall meeting at Aqueduct. Similar post at Belmont goes to Walter M. Jeffords.

ALL-TIME HIGH
Los Angeles—Santa Anita Park will distribute \$1,160,000 in purses next winter, an all-time high in American racing.

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Wasted: One Thorough Tackle



Don Padgett of St. Louis Cardinals frantically wraps himself around Babe Young's leg in tight play. George Magerkurth calls Giant first baseman safe on Pitcher Bob Carpenter's single which helps New York win, 6-4.

WHITE SOX SHOW WAY YANKS CAN STILL BE BEATEN

14-Game Winning Streak Of Bombers Is Broken Yesterday

By JUDSON BAILEY
ASSOCIATED PRESS SPORTS WRITER

The New York Yankees still can be beaten.

This information probably will be received in disbelief by the rest of the American League, but it is a matter of record that the Chicago White Sox accomplished the trick 7-1 yesterday and snapped the 14-game winning streak of the Bombers.

It was just as decisive as the score shows. The Sox stepped out into a two-run lead in the second inning and finished with another four-run flurry in the eighth. John Rigney, although allowing eight hits, was always in control and even had Joe Dimaggio subdued, but not stopped.

DiMaggio topped a pitch into a slow roller down the third base line and beat it out for a single on his third trip to the plate and stretched his hitting string to 54 consecutive games.

The manner in which the Sox smothered the Yankees should have been encouraging for the other clubs in the league but apparently there is a feeling that it came too late and that the Yankees will have to be whipped several times in succession before any rival will have a chance at the lead.

Win 33 of Last 38
When you consider that the Yankees have won 18 of their last 20 games and 33 of their last 38, a single setback does not stand out as very significant, even though it ends the longest winning streak of the year in the major leagues.

The Cleveland Indians took advantage of the opportunity to shave the margin between first and second place to four games by bumping the Boston Red Sox 4-1 behind the five-hit hurling of the incomparable Bob Feller. This was the fastballer's 18th triumph and proved once more that the Indians will be a contender as long as Feller can go to the fiding line every fourth day.

The veteran Tommy Bridges also produced a five-hitter as the Detroit Tigers came from behind to down the Philadelphia Athletics 4-2.

On the other hand a combination four-hit, hurling job by Ken Chase and Vern Kennedy of the Washington Senators wasn't good enough to beat the St. Louis Browns. The two Washington flingers walked nine men and the Browns won 6-4 helped by George McQuinn's home run—the only roundtrip of the day in either league.

Dodgers Expand Lead
The Brooklyn Dodgers expanded their National League lead with a 1-0 victory over the Chicago Cubs in the day's most stirring struggle. Kirby Higbe shut out the Bruins on two singles for his 13th triumph of the season, but until the ninth inning Vern Olsen was just as effective although allowing six hits in eight frames.

When in the ninth Brooklyn loaded the bases with a single, an error and a walk, Manager Leo Durocher put himself into the game as a pitcher for Higbe and laid down a perfect bunt to score the play either at the plate or first base and was so upset he reared back and threw the ball over the Ebbs field grandstand.

Meanwhile the tail-end Phillies obliged by beating the St. Louis Cardinals 5-4 and dropping them to 3½ games behind the Dodgers. Old St. Johnson held the Redbirds to seven hits, but it took a single by Bobby Bragan with the bases

FIELD DAY WINNERS ARE ANNOUNCED

Those blue and yellow ribbons you see on the slightly inflated chests of Dixon's younger generation are merit badges of success in the first field day of the season conducted July 10 and yesterday by the supervised playground staff.

Over 150 children attended the play day events during the two sessions and the programs of sports were directed by Miss Mary Trombold, John Jensen, the Misses Lorraine Giannoni, Betty Riley, Sylvia Heckman and June Hartridge. The latter was substituting for Miss Jane Goff.

The ribbons given for prizes were blue for first and yellow for second. In the baseball game between the E. C. Smith team and John Dixon park, the latter team won, 10 to 4, with Hargrave the winning pitcher. The victory added to a long string of successes by the north siders this season.

In the result of the other contests the winners were as follows:

Archery—(A) 11 years old and over: first, Bud Fray; second, Billy Kirk. (B) below 11 years: first, Junior Nehring; second, Gene Magnaffici.

100 yard dash—Boys (A) 11 years and above: Pinky Walters, first; Bud Richards, second. Below 11 years: David Lahey, first; Stanley Fish, second.

Girls (A) 11 years and above: First Marjory Schultheis; second, Marion Hartridge. Below 11 years: First, Marilyn Carry; second, Rita Charlan.

Head Standing: First, Charles Hargraves; second, David Kirk.

Horseshoes—(A) 11 years and above: First, Charles Hargraves; second, Paul Kauffman. (B) Below 11 years: First, Jackie Leer; second, Gordon Johnson.

Jacks Champion: Arnon Holey.

Target Dart: First, Dick Martenson; second, Charles Hargraves.

High Jump—Boys (A) Group 1—Pinkie Walters; (B) Group 2—Lawrence Wisanand. Girls—Group 1—Patsy Wagner.

Croquet—First, Eugene Fish; second, Jackie Leer; third, Stanley Fish.

Basket Making—Boys (A) 11 and above: First, Eugene Hargraves; second, Eugene Fish. (B) Below 11: First, Jackie Leer; second, Harold Dunn. (C) Girls: First, Betty Quanco; second, Pat Wagner.

Candy was donated to all the children by the Borden company.

DEKALB GOLFER LEADS FIELD IN CHICAGO OPEN TOURNEY

Chicago, July 15—(AP)—Two hundred golfers were qualified today for the fourth Annual Chicago Open which will start Friday over the par 71 course of the Elmhurst Country club.

A field of 150 shotmakers was qualified automatically for the \$5,000 event because of past records. Fifty others were selected yesterday in trials which saw Herb Johnson of Chicago and Al Huske of DeKalb lead a field of 167 hopefuls with three-under-par 6

ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE TOWNSHIP TREASURER FOR PUBLICATION.

Township 38, Range 1 E In Lee County, Illinois, from July 1, 1940 to June 30, 1941.

DISTRICT ACCOUNT

DISTRICT NO. 117

Receipts—Educational Fund

Balance July 1st, 1940 .. \$ 742.97

Distribution of trustees .. 13.21

From district taxes .. 497.00

Total .. \$1253.18

Expenditures—Educational Fund

School board and .. \$ 15.00

Salaries of teachers .. 735.00

Teachers' pension fund .. 29.40

Textbooks and stationery .. 59.51

Salary of janitor .. 3.00

Fuel, light, power, .. 55.10

water and supplies .. 55.10

Repairs, replacements, .. 24.80

insurance on building .. 24.80

Bal. on hand .. 331.57

June 30, 1941 .. \$1253.18

Receipts—Building Fund

Balance July 1st, 1940 .. \$ 28.79

From district taxes .. 124.22

Total .. \$153.01

Expenditures—Building Fund

Repairs, replacements, .. \$ 15.00

insurance on building .. 12.60

Bal. on hand .. 80.41

June 30, 1941 .. \$153.01

DISTRICT NO. 118

Receipts—Educational Fund

Balance July 1st, 1940 .. \$ 924.00

Distribution of trustees .. 56.54

From district taxes .. 779.60

Other township .. 171.74

treasurers .. \$1931.88

Expenditures—Educational Fund

School board and .. \$ 10.00

Salaries of teachers .. 615.62

Teachers' pension fund .. 30.00

Textbooks and stationery .. 10.55

Salary of janitor .. 26.85

Fuel, light, power, .. 34.80

water and supplies .. 34.80

Bal. on hand .. 1204.06

June 30, 1941 .. \$1931.88

Receipts—Building Fund

Balance July 1st, 1940 .. \$174.79

Total .. \$174.79

Expenditures—Building Fund

Repairs, replacements, .. \$ 85.92

insurance on building .. 85.92

Bal. on hand .. 88.87

June 30, 1941 .. \$174.79

DISTRICT NO. 119

Receipts—Educational Fund

Balance July 1st, 1940 .. \$202.91

Distribution of trustees .. 4.79

Adv. Bldg. Fund .. 200.00

Transfers and non-high .. 15.00

school pupils .. \$422.70

Expenditures—Educational Fund

Transportation .. \$150.00

Tuition of transferred .. 75.00

pupils .. 197.70

Bal. on hand .. \$422.70

June 30, 1941 .. \$422.70

Receipts—Building Fund

Balance July 1st, 1940 .. \$429.50

Total .. \$429.50

Expenditures—Building Fund

Janitor's salary, repair .. \$ 6.00

or improve building .. 200.00

Adv. to Educational .. 223.50

fund .. \$429.50

DISTRICT NO. 120

Receipts—Educational Fund

Balance July 1st, 1940 .. \$1776.34

Distribution of trustees .. 69.47

From district taxes .. 620.96

Total .. \$1466.77

Expenditures—Educational Fund

School board and .. \$ 10.00

Salaries of teachers .. 734.00

Teachers' pension fund .. 15.00

Textbooks and stationery .. 41.23

Salary of janitor .. 37.88

Fuel, light, power, .. 100.10

water and supplies .. 45.00

Bal. on hand .. 483.56

June 30, 1941 .. \$1466.77

Receipts—Building Fund

Balance July 1st, 1940 .. \$714.30

From district taxes .. 432.82

Total .. \$1147.12

Expenditures—Building Fund

Janitor's salary, repair .. \$ 13.50

or improve buildings .. 52.05

Bal. on hand .. 1081.27

June 30, 1941 .. \$1147.12

DISTRICT NO. 121

Receipts—Educational Fund

Balance July 1st, 1940 .. \$498.09

Distribution of trustees .. 57.83

From district taxes .. 356.31

Other township .. 42.56

treasurers .. \$954.79

Expenditures—Educational Fund

School board and .. \$ 15.00

Salaries of teachers .. 735.00

Teachers' pension fund .. 29.40

Textbooks and stationery .. 59.51

Salary of janitor .. 3.00

Fuel, light, power, .. 55.10

water and supplies .. 55.10

Repairs, replacements, .. 24.80

insurance on building .. 24.80

Bal. on hand .. 331.57

June 30, 1941 .. \$1253.18

Receipts—Building Fund

Balance July 1st, 1940 .. \$ 28.79

From district taxes .. 124.22

Total .. \$153.01

Expenditures—Building Fund

Repairs, replacements, .. \$ 15.00

insurance on building .. 12.60

Bal. on hand .. 80.41

June 30, 1941 .. \$153.01

DISTRICT NO. 122

Receipts—Educational Fund

Balance July 1st, 1940 .. \$ 305.72

Distribution of trustees .. 89.26

From district taxes .. 701.90

Total .. \$1096.88

Expenditures—Educational Fund

School board and .. \$ 15.00

Salaries of teachers .. 560.00

Teachers' pension fund .. 15.00

Textbooks and stationery .. 62.93

Fuel, light, power, .. 52.14

water and supplies .. 52.14

Bal. on hand .. 391.81

June 30, 1941 .. \$1096.88

Receipts—Building Fund

Balance July 1st, 1940 .. \$243.60

From district taxes .. 176.91

Total .. \$420.51

Expenditures—Building Fund

Repairs, replacements, .. \$ 54.10

insurance on building .. 54.10

Bal. on hand .. 366.41

June 30, 1941 .. \$420.51

DISTRICT NO. 123

Receipts—Educational Fund

Balance July 1st, 1940 .. \$ 730.54

Distribution of trustees .. 65.83

From district taxes .. 702.00

Other township .. 60.00

treasurers .. \$1558.39

Expenditures—Educational Fund

School board and .. \$ 10.00

Salaries of teachers .. 570.00

Teachers' pension fund .. 11.25

Textbooks and stationery .. 10.90

Salary of janitor .. 16.00

Fuel, light, power, .. 49.80

water and supplies .. 49.80

Repairs, replacements, .. 114.54

insurance on building .. 114.54

Bal. on hand .. 753.90

June 30, 1941 .. \$1558.39

Receipts—Building Fund

Balance July 1st, 1940 .. \$378.60

From district taxes .. 19.50

Total .. \$398.10

Expenditures—Building Fund

Repairs, replacements, .. \$ 4.15

insurance on building .. 4.15

Grounds, buildings .. 8.00

and alterations .. 3.00

Other expenditures .. 3.00

Bal. on hand .. 293.07

June 30, 1941 .. \$398.10

DISTRICT NO. 124

Receipts—Educational Fund

Balance July 1st, 1940 .. \$335.84

Distribution of trustees .. 15.97

From district taxes .. 4.11

Transfers and non-high .. 45.00

school pupils .. \$900.92

Expenditures—Educational Fund

School board and .. \$ 30.00

Salaries of teachers .. 490.44

Teachers' pension fund .. 30.00

Textbooks and stationery .. 8.65

Salary of janitor .. 15.00

Fuel, light, power, .. 16.03

water and supplies .. 16.03

Libraries .. 10.55

Bal. on hand .. 584.04

June 30, 1941 .. \$900.92

Receipts—Building Fund

Balance July 1st, 1940 .. \$393.26

Total .. \$393.26

Expenditures—Building Fund

Repairs, replacements, .. \$ 35.76

insurance on building .. 35.76

Bal. on hand .. 357.50

June 30, 1941 .. \$393.26

DISTRICT NO. 94

Receipts—Educational Fund

Balance July 1st, 1940 .. \$42.59

Distribution of trustees .. 32.38

From district taxes .. 74.97

Total .. \$149.94

Expenditures—Educational Fund

School board and .. \$ 10.00

Salaries of teachers .. 490.44

Teachers' pension fund .. 30.00

Textbooks and stationery .. 8.65

Salary of janitor .. 15.00

Fuel, light, power, .. 16.03

water and supplies .. 16.03

Libraries .. 10.55

Bal. on hand .. 584.04

June 30, 1941 .. \$900.92

Receipts—Building Fund

Balance July 1st, 1940 .. \$393.26

Total .. \$393.26

Expenditures—Building Fund

Repairs, replacements, .. \$ 35.76

insurance on building .. 35.76

Bal. on hand .. 357.50

June 30, 1941 .. \$393.26

DISTRICT NO. 116

Receipts—Educational Fund

Balance July 1st, 1940 .. \$221.30

From district taxes .. 459.90

Total .. \$681.20

Expenditures—Educational Fund

School board and .. \$ 10.00

Salaries of teachers .. 490.44

Teachers' pension fund .. 30.00

Textbooks and stationery .. 8.65

Salary of janitor .. 15.00

Fuel, light, power, .. 16.03

water and supplies .. 16.03

Libraries .. 10.55

Bal. on hand .. 584.04

June 30, 1941 .. \$681.20

Receipts—Building Fund

Balance July 1st, 1940 .. \$393.26

Total .. \$393.26

Expenditures—Building Fund

Repairs, replacements, .. \$ 35.76

insurance on building .. 35.76

Bal. on hand .. 357.50

June 30, 1941 .. \$393.26

DISTRICT NO. 125

Receipts—Educational Fund

Balance July 1st, 1940 .. \$30.33

From district taxes .. 57.57

Total .. \$87.90

Expenditures—Educational Fund

School board and .. \$ 15.00

Salaries of teachers .. 735.00

Teachers' pension fund .. 29.40

Textbooks and stationery .. 59.51

Salary of janitor .. 3.00

Fuel, light, power, .. 55.10

water and supplies .. 55.10

Repairs, replacements, .. 24.80

insurance on building .. 24.80

Bal. on hand .. 331.57

June 30, 1941 .. \$1253.18

Receipts—Building Fund

Balance July 1st, 1940 .. \$ 28.79

From district taxes .. 124.22

Total .. \$153.01

Expenditures—Building Fund

Repairs, replacements, .. \$ 15.00

insurance on building .. 12.60

Bal. on hand .. 80.41

LEAPING BEAST

HORIZONTAL

1 Pictured leaping mammal.

8 It is found in Australia and New.

12 Also.

13 Genus of evergreens.

15 Chest bone.

16 Office.

17 Pertaining to the cheek.

18 Particle.

20 Unit.

21 Abilities.

23 Ocean.

24 Plural pronoun.

25 Boggy land.

26 To sup.

28 South Carolina (abbr.).

29 Dispatches.

31 Prickle.

33 Speeded.

35 Wine cup.

37 Professed opinions.

39 Exploit.

40 He eats.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

14 Verb. It has a strong or tail.

19 It belongs to the genus.

21 To care for.

22 Ketch.

23 12 inches (pl.).

27 Mariners.

29 To contemplate.

30 Salt.

31 Curse.

32 Network.

34 Fumigator.

36 Mother.

38 Puts back in school.

41 To fail forward.

44 Duty.

46 Wall painting.

49 Fastidious.

51 Fiber plant.

54 Queer.

56 Fiber knots.

57 Father.

59 Northeast (abbr.).

VERTICAL

2 To make amends.

3 Snout.

4 Obtained.

5 To send back.

6 Verbal.

7 Lubricated.

8 Stocking strap.

9 God of war.

10 Insects' eggs.

11 Trees.

42 Pace.

43 Footed vase.

45 Mystic syllable.

47 Sour plum.

48 Musical note.

49 Chaos.

50 Young dog.

52 Bone.

53 Spruce.

55 To publish.

57 It carries its young in a stomach.

58 Triangular sail.

60 Kind of helmet.

61 To glide away.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11

12 13 14 15

16 17 18 19

20 21 22 23

24 25 26 27 28

29 30 31 32

33 34 35 36 37 38

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48 49 50 51 52

53 54 55 56

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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

OH, I THINK IT'S SWELL!

BOOTS... I DON'T UNDERSTAND YOU, DARLING... BEING USED TO SO MUCH SOCIAL ACTIVITY, AND YET PERFECTLY HAPPY HERE WITH ABSOLUTELY NOTHING TO DO IN THE EVENING...

WELL, PLenty OF SLEEP AND REST CERTAINLY SEEMS TO AGREE WITH HER...

Manhattan Merry-Go-Round!!

BY EDGAR MARTIN

HEY! WHO'S GONNA STAY UP T'ELL ME WHEN T'GO TO BED?

HE! I THINK I'LL CALL IT A DAY, TOO!

EIGHT-THIRTY! MY GOODNESS... STEPHEN, WAIT FOR ME!

SPEAKING OF SLEEP... HO-OR HUH! GOOD NIGHT, ALL!

By AL CAFF

L.J.L. ABNER

LET HIM HAVE IT BETWEEN THE EYES!! HE'S LOST HIS POWERS!!

NOT ALL OF 'EM!!

AH STILL GOT TH' POWER T'RASSLE MOUNTIN STYLE!!

HOW D'YO LIKE TH' RIDE, BOYS?

By RAEURN VAN BUREN

ABBIE AN' SLATS

BECKY IS ARRIVIN' TOMORROW MORNIN'. WE WON'T GIVE HER TIME 'NOUGH TO BROOD ABOUT THE OLD FAMILIAR SCENES HERE--WHERE SHE AN' THE BOY WERE SO HAPPY

WE'LL WHISK HER RIGHT OFF TO ATLANTIS-BY-TH-SEA. THE COTTAGE IS ALL READY. IT'S A GAY CAREFREE SORT O' RESORT...

LOTS O' YOUNG PEOPLE-- WE'VE GOT TO MAKE IT OUR BUSINESS TO SEE THAT BECKY GETS RIGHT INTO THINGS--DANCES PARTIES, A ROMANCE MEBBE...

YOU AND ME, ABBIE, WE OUGHTA KEEP OUR EYES OPEN FOR LIKELY YOUNG PROSPECTS--MEBBE BECKY'LL GET INTERESTED IN ONE O' 'EM...

BECKY ARRIVES-- AND BEFORE SHE HAS A CHANCE TO CATCH HER BREATH-- SHE IS WHISKED OFF--

WHILE THE GIRL IS INSIDE FIXIN' THINGS, I'LL TAKE IN THE SEA BREEZES

A BOTTLE-- WITH THAT OLD FAMILIAR LABEL-- AND THAT OLD FAMILIAR LIQUID INSIDE!! I CAN'T SWIM-- BUT I GOTTA!!!

By FRED HARMON

RED RYDER

SLIM IS GAMBLING WITH HARPER, RED. I WISH HE'D ACCEPT THE RANCH JOB YOU OFFERED HIM!

MEBBE HIS MONEY WILL RUN OUT AND HE'LL CHARLENE!

ME THINKUM MISSY CHARLENE IN MUSH-LOVE, YOU BETCHUM!

LITTLE BEAVER MAY BE RIGHT-- I AM TERRIBLY WORRIED OVER SLIM! HE'S SO NICE-- DASHING AND--

YEAH-- AND RECKLESS WITH HIS GUNS-- BUT I'LL TALK TO HIM AGAIN!

By MERRILL FLOSSER

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

SEVENTEEN HUNDRED BUCKS-- WOW! DO YOU KNOW WHAT THEY'RE GONNA DO WITH ALL THAT DOUGH? I DO!

TELL US, EDDIE!

DR. WILEY IS GONNA USE IT ON EXPERIMENTAL WORK! HE'S GONNA TRY SOME IDEAS ON ME FIRST-- AND IF I START WALKIN'-- OH, BOY!

THAT'S SWELL, EDDIE!

HE THINKS HE'LL HAVE ME WALKIN' IN THREE MONTHS! THEN HE'LL START IN ON ALL THE OTHER GUYS!

WELL, DO YOU THINK YOU'LL EVER HAVE MORE FUN SPENDING \$1700?

NOT EVEN IF WE SPENT A MILLION, DR. WILEY!

By ROY CRANE

WASH TUBBS

YOU WERE SWELL TO BE TH' BEST MAN AT OUR WEDDIN', EASY

EVERYTHING WAS PERFECT, EVEN DADDY... POOR DEAR!... WASN'T HALF AS UPSET AS WE EXPECTED

WELL, I RECKON VICKI AND I BETTER BE GETTING BACK TO WASHINGTON

NOW THAT YOU'RE A MARRIED MAN, PODNER, YOU'LL HAVE TO SETTLE DOWN. NO MORE RIDING FREIGHT TRAINS! NO MORE REVOLUTIONS AND ADVENTURES IN FAR OFF PLACES

HECK, WOTTA I CARE! AS LONG AS CAROL'S BY MY SIDE, I'M HAPPY

YOU DARLING!

WELL, BEST O' LUCK

THANKS

OUR HOME IS YOUR HOME, EASY, PLEASE REMEMBER THAT YOU'RE ALWAYS WELCOME

YEAH, WE'VE BEEN THRU A HEAP O' TROUBLE TOGETHER, OLD WASH AND I. BUT I NEVER SAW SUCH A RESTLESS, GYPSY-FOOTED FELLA IN MY LIFE. I WAS JUST WONDERING HOW LONG HE'LL BE CONTENT TO PUNCH A TIME-CLOCK

THEY SEEM TO BE A PERFECT MATCH

By V. T. HAMILTON

ALLEY OOP

DID YOU HEAR THAT, DOC? A HANDFUL OF PIRATES TOOK TH' FORT BY SURPRISE!

YES... AND THE TACTICS THEY EMPLOYED WERE 1941 STUFF! ALLEY, I'VE GOT A HUNCH... WAIT, I WANT A WORD WITH THIS CHAP!

EH? DID I SEE THEIR LEADER? AYE, AND I NEVER WANT TO MEET UP WITH HIM AGAIN! THE BLACK-BEARDED DEVIL!

HEMM... TELL ME WAS HE SHORT AND RATHER STOUT... BLACK BROWS MEETING OVER A LONG SHARP NOSE?

PERFECT! I CALLED HIMSELF "BLACK BEARD" HE DID... ONLY THAT'S THE BUNK... BLACK BEARD'S DEAD!

WELL, ALLEY, WE'VE GOT A LINE ON OSCAR AT LAST!

YEH... AN' SO WHAT ARE WE WAITIN' HERE FOR?

WIDE GLANCES

By GALBRAITH



"I wish I could wear tennis shorts just once without you giving a long, loud whistle--people wear them all the time now, you know!"

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

FOR EVERY MARRIED MAN ADMITTED TO MENTAL HOSPITALS, THREE SINGLE MEN ARE ADMITTED.

PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES

BASEBALL TEAM, IN THE LAST FIFTEEN YEARS, HAS FINISHED LAST EIGHT TIMES, SEVENTH FOUR TIMES, SIXTH, FIFTH, AND FOURTH, ONE TIME EACH.

IF IT'S ODD, LET US QUOTE IT!

"FREIGHT GOING BY CAR, IS A SHIPMENT, FREIGHT GOING BY SHIP IS A CARGO," SAYS VIA MCAFEE, ALTOONA, PA.

NEXT: The count who waited to be a peasant.

WALNUT

Dorothy Mae Warling
Reporter
Telephone L291

Mrs. Ben Guinther, son Harold, and Miss Carrie Hammerle were Saturday afternoon callers in Mendota.

Mrs. L. C. Sprinkle visited from Thursday to Saturday with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Randall Ross of Rockford.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burkle left Friday evening for Hammond, Ind. called by the illness of Mrs. Burkle's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Wolfe and sons of Dixon were Saturday afternoon and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Wolfe and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Alhus and son of Rock Falls, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Anna Christensen and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Bacorn were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Reece of Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Albrecht and family of Ohio were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Guinther and family.

Mrs. Everett Spahn and new baby returned home Monday from Perry Memorial hospital in Princeton.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Guithier and Mrs. Taylor of Beaumont, Texas, guests the week end in Chicago.

The ladies will visit relatives this week in Chicago and Mr. Guithier returned home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Forman and sons of Dixon were Sunday guests in the Howard Smith home.

Miss Marilyn Boozle of Galesburg is house guest in the E. A. Gilchrist home.

Lovell Sprinkle, employed at Camp Grant, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Sprinkle, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Sprinkle and daughter of Milledgeville were Sunday guests in the Sprinkle home. Mrs. Sprinkle and daughter remained for a few days' visit.

Welby Johnson spent the week end with his parents at Wedron, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Winger and daughter of Geneseo and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Winger of Sheffield were Sunday afternoon and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Winger.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bullington were Ashton business callers on Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Williams of Manlius were Sunday afternoon callers on Mr. and Mrs. Kennison Williams and family.

Miss Alice Norden and Miss Lorene Peach left Sunday for Seattle, Wash., for Mrs. Elsie Norden who has been visiting there. They were accompanied to St. Paul, Minn., by Mrs. Hazel Whitner who will visit her mother and sister for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sterling of Varna, Ill., were Saturday guests in the Murray Hassler home.

Mr. and Mrs. Del Larri and son of Ladd were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Keleher.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Newcom and sons and Miss Betty Bower of Sterling were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wallis.

Mrs. Vina Stringer of Peoria and James Kline of Lacon, were week end guests in the Wm. Gallentine home.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Kelgwin of Peoria were week end guests of Mrs. Pauline Shearburn.

Mrs. W. R. Doyle and son Bobby of Yonkers, N. Y., are house guests of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Knight.

Miss Carolyn Gonnigam, student nurse at Ottawa, returned to her studies after a two weeks' vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gonnigam, Jr.

Donald Ross and son Jerry of Chicago were week end guests of his grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Ross.

Mrs. Harry Bloomquist and mother of Chicago and Pearl Johnson, who attends business college in Chicago were week end guests in the Carl Johnson home. Richard Bloomquist returned home with his mother, having spent the past two weeks in the Johnson home.

Mack Wright of Walnut and brother, William Wright, of New Bedford, attended two days at Starved Rock state park on Sunday and received a prize for being the oldest pair of twins there. They are 76 years of age.

Francis Lowery of Moline spent the week end with his family.

Dick Ross of Camp Forest, Tenn., spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Atherton and daughter Anita and Mrs. Vera Kiser of Henry, spent Sunday at Starved Rock state park. Mrs. Kiser is visiting this week in the Atherton home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kerchner and Ben Kerchner called on Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hansen of Princeton on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Minnie Noble returned home Monday evening from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Levi Noble of Amboy.

Nelda Nelson of New Bedford is house guest in the Charles Schrader home this week.

Mrs. Frank Ross went to Aurora Saturday morning for a few days' visit with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Monier and daughter.

Miss Jean Noble left Monday for Auburn, N. Y. for a visit.

Mrs. Clifford Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Larkin spent the week end with Miss Mae Larkin of Rockford.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stone of Chicago spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stone.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Maier and son Charles, Miss Dorothy Fletcher and Bud Fuller, all of Rantoul, were week end guests of Mrs. Margaret Little.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Noble, Jr., of Moline were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Noble, Sr., and family.

Mrs. Alvin Johnson and daughter Phyllis, and Mrs. George Short drove to New Lenox Sunday and took Marjorie Johnson, Elizabeth Ann Gonnigam and Margaret Fisher to the Methodist Young People's Institute camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Glaze and daughters visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Rosendahl of Neponset on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Keithahn of Dixon were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Keithahn.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Dagen and family of Chicago were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gloden and Sunday dinner guests in the Gloden home were, Mrs. Fern Gallentine and children and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Brainard.

Mrs. Ernest Christensen, Mrs. Frank Bullington, Mrs. Everett Larson and Mrs. Dorothy Mae Warling were Monday afternoon visitors in Sterling.

Birthday Dinner
Mr. and Mrs. Mike Kares and daughter Carolyn of Manlius, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Odell and son Larry, Mrs. Lena Odell and son Paul and Miss Lillian Olson, enjoyed a picnic birthday dinner at the Pines, honoring the birthdays of Mrs. Lena Odell and grandson Larry.

Picnic Dinner
The Larson family enjoyed a picnic dinner at Walnut grade school on Sunday. Those present were Mrs. Everett Larson and family of Sikeston, Mr. and Mrs. Bela Larson and daughter of Sterling, Wm. Larson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Larson and niece Charlene Rudiger, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Anderson and children, Mrs. Bertha Ganshow, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Perrizo and Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Carpenter and family.

I. H. C. RUNOFF ELECTION
Chicago, July 15—(AP)—A runoff election will be held July 30 at the International Harvester Company's McCormick works here to determine a collective bargaining agency.

The Chicago office of the National Labor Relations board announced last night that the polls will be open from 6 a. m. to 6 p. m. to accommodate more than 5,500 workers eligible to vote. Employees voted last June 18 but the results were inconclusive, showing 2,652 for the C. I. O.'s Farm Equipment Workers Organizing committee and 2,671 for an A. F. L. federal union.

FORRESTON

MRS. LYLE MARKS
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Bottoms—Duitsman

Miss Katherine Bottoms, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. A. T. Bottoms of Gursley, Alabama and Edward Duitsman, son of Mrs. Mary Duitsman were united in marriage last Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the Forreston Grove Presbyterian church, the Rev. S. G. Manns reading the single ring service. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. William Kampen, brother-in-law and sister of the groom. The bride wore a lecture green frock with accessories of teal pink. Her matron of honor wore blue with white accessories.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Duitsman were guests of honor at a reception given at home of the groom's mother, with members of the immediate families as guests.

The bride is a graduate of Harrisville high school at Harrisville, West Va. and attended college at Salem, West Virginia and is now teacher of the Mt. Union school.

They will reside at the home of the groom's mother where Mr. Duitsman is farming. Later in the fall they expect to take a wedding and vacation trip.

New Manager

Louis Rodermund has accepted the position as manager of the R. P. Hill Grain Company to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Paul Beebe, who was appointed game warden.

Village Clerk Pro Tem

Attorney Martin H. Eakle has been named village clerk pro tem by Mayor Joseph Maas. At the next meeting of the village board, a full time clerk will be named. The vacancy was caused by the death of T. D. Harrigan, who passed away July 4th.

Elmer—Daniels

Miss Gertrude Elmer, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Jacob Elmer of Freeport, and Melvin E. Daniels, son of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Daniels were married Sunday afternoon, July 3, at the State Road Evangelical and Reformed church, the double ring ceremony being solemnized.

The bride wore a floor length gown of white chiffon. Her finger-ring veil fell from a halo of lace and she wore a double strand of pearls, the bridegroom's wedding gift and carried a shower bouquet of sweet heart roses.

The bride's sister, Miss Lucille Daniels was her attendant and wore a floor length pink chiffon gown, and a pink face veil which fell from a cluster of roses. She carried a French bouquet.

Preceding the wedding Miss Dorothy Schmidt, accompanied by Mrs. Robert Moren, sang "I Love You Truly" and "Because."

Wilbur Stauffer of Monticello, Wis. a cousin of the bride, acted as best man. The ushers were August Zumdahl of Shannon, a cousin of the groom, and Lawrence Burma of Baileyville.

Following the ceremony a reception was given at the parsonage to ninety relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniels left for a two week's trip through the Smokey Mountains. Upon their return they will reside with the groom's parents on the farm.

The bride is a graduate of Freeport high school and has been employed at the First-McNess Company at Freeport. Since graduating from Forreston high school, the groom has assisted his father on the farm.

Personals

Mrs. Mary Travert and Mrs. Emerson Smith left Thursday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Basse at Pipeston, Minn.

Mrs. Henry Maas received a letter from her son, Owen Spring, a member of the U. S. Marines, who is stationed in the Hawaiian Islands, stating that he had the misfortune to cut the tip off one of his fingers while cutting bread recently.

Merritt Swank, who has been stationed in a camp in Virginia for the past three months has been transferred to Camp Blanding, near Jacksonville, Florida.

Mrs. Roy Argo and daughters of Columbia, Missouri are visiting in the Fred Diehl home.

Harry Anderson, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. David Aund of Freeport are spending several weeks in Colorado.

Dr. B. G. Wood has been ill the past week with lumbago.

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OREGON

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Ladies Aid

Mrs. Fred Fisher assisted by Mrs. John Nygren will entertain the Ladies Aid society of St. Paul's Lutheran church Thursday afternoon.

On Vacation

Miss Sally Berk went to Burlington, Iowa Saturday to visit Miss Barbara Barr. Sunday she left with the Barr family for a two week's vacation trip to Estes Park, Colo.

Returned Home

Mrs. H. J. Douglas left Sunday for her home in Cincinnati, Ohio after spending ten days with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. B. A. Cottlow.

Tonsil Operation

Linda Lee Allen submitted to a tonsillectomy at Rockford hospital Saturday.

Medical Patient

Mrs. George Fouch, who has been ill for two weeks was removed to the Katherine Shaw Betha hospital in Dixon Sunday for observation and treatment.

Home From Vacation

Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Bowen returned Thursday from a vacation trip to Michigan and West Virginia. They were accompanied

home by Mrs. Bowen's two nephews, Devere Games of Pontiac, Mich. and Billy Lee of Follansbee, West Va. who will remain for a month.

Attending Convention

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Gilbert are attending the National Convention of Hardware men this week at New Orleans, La.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kinn and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cox were on an outing at Starved Rock Sunday.

Dorene Slick of Dixon is spending the week at the Ed Kinn and Charles Kearns home.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. McDonald and daughter, Marietta were in Chicago Sunday to visit their daughter, Dr. Beryl McDonald, an interne at the Swedish Covenant hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ulferts and daughter, Margaret Jean and Frances of Aurora were week end visitors of Oregon relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kinn were visited Saturday by the former's cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Newman of Smithburg, Md. and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Piesser of Waynesboro, Md. They were en route to California.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stouffer are visited this week by his sister, Mrs. Mollie Hawkins of Elmhurst.

Dr. and Mrs. G. M. Abbott were visited the past week by Mrs. Clifford Abbott and daughter, Laura of Detroit, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith were business visitors in Chicago Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmert Miller have moved to the residence on

South First street, formerly occupied by Jerry Ryan.

Rev. L. E. Conner is attending the Church of God conference at Fredericktown, Mo. July 12-20.

Bill Settles spent the week end in Chicago with his sister, Miss Verna Belle Settles.

Bill Poppino who is here for an extended visit at the W. L. Settles home spent the week end with his parents in West Chicago.

Mrs. A. C. Reid and son Frank drove to Ft. Sheridan Saturday and brought Elmer Reid home for a week end furlough.

John Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Allen spent the week end with his grandmother, Mrs. Lee Allen in the Wilbur Reed home at Byron.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Meier and Miss Tillie Wise left Friday to return to Harrisburg, Penn. after spending twelve days with the former's mother, Mrs. Grover Meier.

Franklin Lundstrom was home on a week end furlough from Camp Forrest, Tenn.

AURORA BANKER DIES

Aurora, Ind., July 15—(AP)—Harley H. Hill, 50, director and cashier of the First National Bank of Aurora, died last night. He was a cousin of Edwin C. Hill, radio news commentator. Survivors include a son, Harley H., Jr., of Alton, Ill.

GIVEN RENO DIVORCE

Reno, Nev., July 15—(AP)—A divorce was granted Marie K. Dunbar in her suit against James H. Dunbar of Wilmington, Del. She charged cruelty. They were married at LaSalle, Ill., June 16, 1900.

OHIO

MRS. ESTHER JACKSON
Reporter

The Triple Four bridge club met last Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Jessie Dulen. High score was won Mrs. Mae Denbo; second by Mrs. Mary Anderson and low by Mrs. Virginia Payne.

Mrs. C. E. Bodine, Ivan and Marguerite spent a few days last week in Lincoln, Nebr.

Mrs. Edith Cassidy spent the week end with relatives in Chicago, and also visited her son Jack, at Great Lakes Naval training station.

Alan Calhomer of La Grange, spent last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Morton.

Circle Three of the Methodist Church will meet Wednesday afternoon, July 16 at the home of Mrs. Mary Inks.

Mrs. Dorothy Stevenson entertained the Easy Aces bridge club last Tuesday evening. Mrs. Mary Enright winning first prize, Mrs. Helen Johnson, second, and Miss Beatrice Boyd, low.

The Women's Society of Christian Service met last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bertha Balcom, with Mrs. Alice Morse, assistant hostess.

Mrs. Maude L. Boyd has gone to Charlotte, Mich., for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Claude E. Chappell.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Saltzman and Mrs. Alice Morse spent Tuesday evening in Manlius.

The Wednesday Bridge club met last week with Mrs. Edith Saltzman. High score prize was won by Mrs. Eva Howard, second high by Mrs. Mae Conner, and guest prize by Mrs. Suzanne Sisler.

The annual picnic of the Kasbeer unit of the Home Bureau was held Friday in the county park. The lesson on "Money Management" and "Surprise Cold Drinks" was given by local leaders.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Neis of Amboy spent last Wednesday with his mother, Mrs. Harriet Neis.

Mrs. Anna Kidd of Aurora spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. G. D. Morton and her brother, Albert Schmaus.

Mrs. Minnie O'Melin of Chicago spent a few days last week at the F. J. Burke home.

Miss Helen Coleman of New York City is visiting her father, John Coleman and her aunt, Mrs. Lou Kirk.

Mrs. Anna Walter was hostess to the D. M. C. club last Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Nellie Faley winning high score in bridge; Mrs. Anna Sisler, second high, and Miss Mary Faley, guest prize.

Nine tables of bridge and five tables of euchre were in play at the C. D. of A. card party which was held Thursday afternoon in the Opera House. Mrs. Fred Krieger held high score in bridge, and Mrs. Doyle Morrissey, low; and

in euchre. Mrs. Thos. Sheehan held high score.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kramer and Mr. and Mrs. Vance Hopper and children were dinner guests Sunday at the Ray Nielsen home in Batavia.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Sorensen of Chicago, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dewey.

Dr. and Mrs. H. Hammett were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Darl Unholz in Milledgeville.

MENDOTA

Mrs. Bertha Ossman
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Phone 266L

Hospital News

Miss Elizabeth Rentschler, Chicago, underwent major surgery on Monday morning.

Joan Brooks, of Earlville was removed Sunday to Illinois Research hospital for further treatment.

Mrs. Clarence Schnorr underwent major surgery Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Jackson are parents of a son born Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hesselberger are parents of a son born Sunday.

Howard Allen was treated at the hospital Saturday for a fractured left wrist due to a fall. The wrist was placed in a cast. He returned to his home.

Harry McAdams was treated for a mashed middle finger Saturday. Mr. McAdams is an employee of Fred Brown, carpenter and the injury was caused while at work.

Max Goebel of New Jersey was a guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Goebel over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. August Willhelm entertained a group of friends at a fish fry Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Merritt and Bert Sutton accompanied Miss Ruth Hafeman to Libertyville Sunday evening. Miss Hafeman has been a guest several weeks at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Merritt.

Walter Elssesser and John Bauman were business callers in Chicago Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gish are on a two weeks' vacation at International Falls, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Reidenauer, Mt. Morris are guests at the Godfrey Ichorn home.

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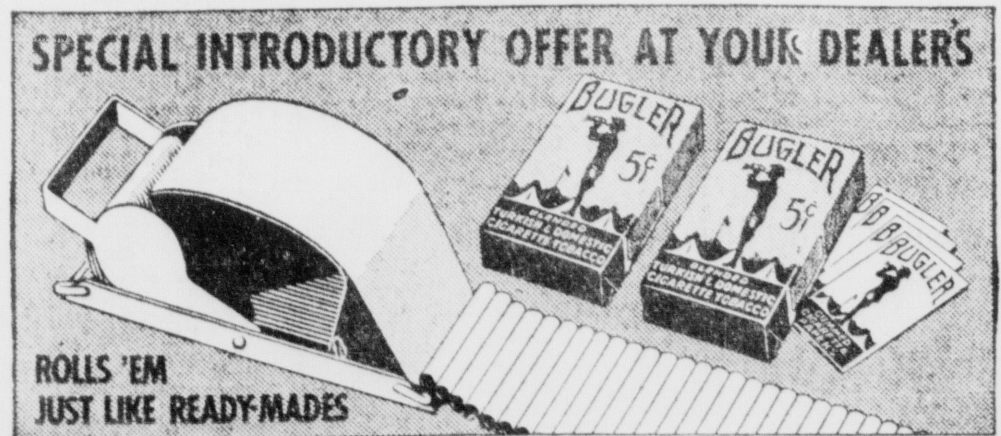
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